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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

MME. PATTI sang fifty-four times for $220,000.

JAY GOULD declares that he will build 6000 miles of railroad this year.

EIGHT culprits were publicly whipped in New Castle, Delaware, on Saturday.

"AN honest heart is the best revolver a person can carry in any contest involving a discussion of the right."

HARMONY flowed like water at the adjournment of the Legislature. But harmony wasn't the only thing that flowed.

FLORIDA has finally succeeded in electing a United States senator, and his name isn't Jones, either. This is why Florida should be congratulated.

THE New York *Independent*, a religious paper that opposed Blaine for President, is wriggling around in its vain endeavors to get back into the Republican party again.

GOVERNOR BEAVER has signed the death warrant of Samuel Johnson, colored, convicted of the murder of John Sharpless. Johnson is to be hanged August 2.

THE Philadelphia *Evening Bulletin*, always a staunch Republican paper, believes that one of the bills Governor Beaver should veto is that appropriating $600,000 for patching the State Capitol.

THE choice of this paper for President is the choice of almost every Republican in the State: First, Gen. James A. Beaver, Governor of Pennsylvania; Second, Hon. James G. Blaine, of Maine.

LETTERS from Russia state that the Czar is learning to play the cornet and that he practices an hour or two every day. Yet some people profess to wonder why so many efforts are made to assassinate him!

ALL licenses have been refused in Somerset county. There, again, the associate judges controlled the decision, President Judge Baer dissenting. These bold associates are O. P. Shaver and Samuel Walker.

OF course, the proposed tour of James G. Blaine in Europe is associated with his alleged candidacy for President. The eminent gentleman cannot turn around without the action having some reference, direct or indirect, to his very laudable ambition.

OF COURSE, Mr. Cleveland wants a second term. All presidents do, as a second term is a proof of the success of their administration during the first term. The only question is, will Mr. Cleveland secure the nomination and, if so, can he be elected?

ALLENTOWN was a deserted village a few years ago. Now it is growing so fast that people are compelled to live in the Agricultural Fair building because of a scarcity of houses. The Board of trade down that way seem to know all about booming a promising town.

ON the 8th day of June the State Board of Agriculture will meet in Bellefonte. It is the most prominent agricultural organization in the State The sessions of the Board will be held in the Court House, and the court room should be filled with the farmers of Centre county on each occasion.

THE Democracy of the Twenty-eighth congressional district, to which Centre county now belongs, is something like the following: Centre, 800; Clearfield 1200; Clarion 1400; Elk 300; Forest 100; total 3800. Nominate good men and even that can be obliterated. We used to do it in the old Twentieth district and we can do it in the new Twenty-eighth.

TAKING all things into consideration there is every reason to believe that the Picnic Exhibition at Williams' Grove, commencing August 29th, and continuing the entire week, will be the notable event of the year 1887. The applications by exhibitors for space are over twenty per cent. greater than at this date in any former year. New manufacturing firms which have never yet exhibited at Williams' Grove are preparing for extensive displays this season.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

THE QUEEN—THE BOODLE BRIBER—HARD TIMES—THE SECOND TERM—OUR AMUSEMENTS—THE SUMMER EXODUS.

NEW YORK, May 23, '87.

One of the leading sensations of the past week was a succession of fetes given in honor of the visit to our city of Her Majesty Queen Kapiolani, of the Sandwich Islands, and Her Royal Highness Princess Lilinokalini, together with their official suite. This is the first opportunity that New York has ever had of extending welcome to such representatives of Royalty—a real, live Queen—and the most was made of this occasion.

It is very well to pay proper respect to all visiting representatives of other Governments and nations, but our people are apt to overdo the matter, and to make themselves ridiculous when paying respect to Royalty. In regard to the public attention to be given to this branch of the Sandwich Island's Royalty the *World* very properly observes: "It is well that those so disposed should pay the dusky visitor a reasonable amount of attention. But by all means let a due sense of proportion be observed. Flunkyism is bad enough before persons of real importance; it is worse than ridiculous before what is practically a burlesque on royalty."

Although it is but a brief space since the inhabitants of the Cannibal Islands were in the habit of feasting upon each other as occasion offered, yet it must be acknowledged that civilization has wrought an amazing transformation there, especially in the principles of their government; and now the King and Queen of this country, and other state officials, bare fair comparison with the intelligent and notable personages of other governments.

THE BOODLE BRIBER.

The trial of Jake Sharp, the great briber of the boodle aldermen, was commenced last week; and the whole week was spent in the unavailing attempt to secure a jury; and the "twelve good men and true" are not yet obtained, though over three hundred names have been drawn.

This will be a noted trial, and will be contested on both sides by a large array of legal talent. Philadelphia's great lawyer, Lewis C. Cassiday, Esq., is over here to help his friend Sharp. It is believed by many that Jake is sharp enough to run the gauntlet safely.

The difficulty in obtaining a full jury in these boodle cases is because of the newspapers. They have ventilated the subject so fully that every body has an opinion, and the accepted juryman must be a man without an opinion. Reading newspapers, and having sufficient intelligence to form an opinion for one's self, disqualify a man for such legal service. Mr. Dan Dougherty says that over in Pennsylvania when the courts are on the hunt for a jury they look for the man who spells Commonwealth with a K, and he is accepted at once.

The truth is, that in a large majority of cases trial by jury is simply a legal farce. I hope to see the time when this system will be abolished, in what are termed our courts of justice.

HARD TIMES.

All our manufacturing, and other important business interests, have suffered largely this spring because of the strikes, and other injudicious acts and movements of the various labor organizations of the country. This has been the dullest season in all branches of trade that I have known in New York for many years. Still, the present agitation of a few fanatics like Henry George may result in a more equitable adjustment of the business relations of capital and labor.

THE SECOND TERM.

Already the second term question is beginning to come to the front; and many of our more prominent democratic leaders in this city are trying to start a Cleveland boom. From present appearances it is very probable he will receive the nomination for another term. For one, I hope this will be the case for I should like the same contest over again—Mr. Blaine and Mr. Cleveland. It was more of an accident than any thing else that determined the issue in the last election. The Republican party is bound to elect Mr. Blaine to the presidency, and we do not object that Mr. Cleveland shall have the pleasure of being the defeated candidate, next time.

OUR AMUSEMENTS.

If other business is dull the business of theatres seems to be always in a flourishing condition in this city. Patti made a grand success at the Metropolitan Opera House. Jefferson, the only Rip Van Winkle, played a successful engagement; and other stars have shone resplendent before the admiring public. And now Mr. Henry E. Dixey, having recently returned from Europe, has entered upon his second term, at the Bijou Theatre, in his famous character of Adonis. He ran this play for one thousand consecutive nights, and made the grandest success ever made by any American actor. Any of our readers who may come to New York, and who would like to see a character and play "just too cunning and funny for anything" should certainly spend an evening at the Bijou theatre on Broadway.

THE SUMMER EXODUS.

Already many of our up-town millionaire families have started on their annual flight to other lands—for going to Europe "is quite the thing" for such time-killers to do. Others of less note in money and fashion are preparing for the mountain and seaside resorts; and we of "the can't get away club" will be left here to keep guard over the palaces and temples of wealth, and to see that Philadelphia doesn't steal the Brooklyn bridge, or build another Jake Sharp railroad through Broadway. HIRAM TORREY.

"Favorable Conditions."

The *Watchman* quotes us as saying that the new Howard Rolling Mill Co., Lim., begins business under "peculiarly favorable conditions," and then cites the dominancy of Democracy as one of the conditions. It is true we have a Democratic president in Washington, but it is also true and quite fortunate that he is not one of the stockholders in the new company. Cleveland is a believer in the doctrine of free trade, which means that he does not desire any iron to be made in this country. As long as England can produce enough for the whole world, or at least for herself and the United States, he believes she should have permission to send iron to this country free of duty. It is also true that the iron workers in England do not earn enough to support their families, and consequently their wives and children must also work at the forge to aid them in gaining a livelihood. But that is a consideration not of much importance to Cleveland and his ilk, with whom the only question is: Can they make iron cheaper than it can be made at home? If so, we must buy it at the lowest possible figure.

They elected this free trader to be president. He expressed free trade views in his message, placed gentlemen of like faith in his cabinet and encouraged the passage of a free trade bill in the national congress. But against all this official influence the noble band of Republicans, aided by a few Pennsylvania Democrats—all under the inspiring influence of the grand apostle of protection, Hon. James G. Blaine—resisted every effort to prostrate American industries; and to-day we stand, not with as strong a protective law as we should like, but with one which at least encourages home industries sufficiently to warrant the inauguration of such an enterprise as the one at Howard.

Thus, the *Watchman* may perceive that the "favorable conditions" have no reference to the political situation. They consist in the enterprise of the members of the company, the capital at their command, the experience and energy of those in control, etc. But all these would have been lacking in this country, but for the spirit of protection to home industry and genius which the Republican party has encouraged. Thanks to that policy, Centre county's wealth is being developed. The few victories which the Democrats won were not sufficient to enable them to do any real harm. We hope that at approaching elections the people will see the danger which menaces them from that source and will stamp out forever this growth and plant of aristocratic England's free trade ambitions, which sails under the misnomer of democracy.

The Tobacco Crop.

The department of agriculture crop report for May contains this information: Tobacco is the only crop the area of which is reduced wherever grown. At ruling prices it is unremunerative in New England and Pennsylvania, and a considerable portion of its area is being devoted to small crops. Maryland, Virginia and North Carolina show a heavy decline, the area in the first State going to grass, and in the others to grass and the spring cereals together. Some counties in these States report that the acreage will fall to 50 per cent., and in some cases even more. The falling off in Tennessee and Kentucky is general though not so heavy, to miscellaneous crops. In no section does there appear to be any corresponding increase, correspondents generally stating that under existing conditions it is not a paying crop.

The Work of the Legislature.

The Pennsylvania Legislature for 1887 has adjourned. It has, all told, been an improvement both in its personnel and in its work over former legislatures. It has not been all it should have been, it has "done some things it ought not to have done and left undone many things it should have done," but with all its faults it has done on the whole so fairly well that it deserves praise for the good it has done and for the evil it might have done and didn't do. The large party majority in each House was looked upon as rather a dangerous thing for the Republican party, as big majorities are harder to control and hold in check by wise party leaders than more evenly balanced bodies. However, when the record comes to be made up it will be found that on the whole, this legislature has been better than many that have preceded it, and infinitely better than the last Democratic one. Gov. Beaver with his suspended veto axe had also a tendency to hold the legislators in check and cause more careful consideration of matters brought to their attention.

A correspondent, with whom we agree except in his estimate of the High License measure, summing up the work of the session, says: With this to its credit it has done little that was vicious and has accomplished more of importance than any Legislature for many years. It has worked in some directions with notable good faith, which was shown in the promptness with which it corrected many of its blunders. It will have to its credit the High License measure, by far the most important act of the session, the Revenue bill, under which it is expected to increase the receipts of the treasury some $2,000,000, at the same time restoring additional sums to several counties; the passage of the joint resolution submitting a prohibition constitutional amendment to a vote of the people; the reapportionment of the State so long neglected and which Governor Pattison failed to secure with his costly extra session; the comprehensive act for the better organization and discipline of the militia. These are all measures of general importance, but they do not by any means embrace the work of the Legislature which is of consequence to the people in one way or another.

But mistakes have been made, and serious one. There is no justification for the defeat of the Billingsley Oil bill. It was demanded by the people of that part of the State interested in the production and refining of petroleum, and they were entitled to be heard. There was no understanding about what they wanted and the interests involved, but monopoly won in the Senate, and under suspicious circumstance. How the failure to do anything in fulfillment of the party pledge on the subject of anti-discrimination is to be excused it is not easy to see. The bill for that purpose which passed the Senate, was certainly not all that was desired, but that was no reason why the Legislature should not have taken up the question intelligently and sincerely and acted upon it. It will now continue a part of our political discussions in State campaigns just as it has been for some years, and it must be regarded as unfortunate that it was not taken out, as the temperance question has been substantially.

With these exceptions we doubt if anything the Legislature failed to do will be much regretted. The House was undeniably the more reputable and trustworthy body, which goes a long way to answer the arguments of those who assume to find no advantage in larger numbers. It is true a great deal has been secured only by the force of a strong and persistent public demand, but that is more than has been had from some Legislatures."

Blasphemy.

The fact that a man living in New Jersey is being tried for the use of blasphemous words awakens general interest in the case, as it is unusual. The offender is Charles B. Reynolds, who couldn't make money enough to support himself as a minister, and has since found blasphemy more remunerative. How is it best to treat such offenders? is an important question. They can be punished under the law, but the statutes which authorize such trials are denominated "blue" laws, and their enforcement does not seem to be popular. We believe there is another and more popular way of proceeding against such offenders.

It is acknowledged even by the law, that a man's religious beliefs are the most precious and sacred in existence. Religious faith, at least to the extent which renders blasphemy of divine things very obnoxious, prevails among a majority of the best citizens of this country. No one has a right to make himself very obnoxious to another. To do so is to make himself a nuisance and he can be treated as a nuisance by the law. If he persists in using blasphemous language he should be suppressed, on the same principle that a dead cat or horse must be buried underground. He has no more right to hurt one's sense of what is sacred than he has to steal five dollars from an unsuspecting victim or to knock down an unoffending individual. We have often heard people speak about religious things in a way that is just as objectionable as could be the foulest nuisance that disgraces our thoroughfares. Abate them.

The trial of Reynolds has been concluded by imposing upon him a fine of $25 and costs. Jersey Justice is better than Ingersoll's eloquence.

The New Congress Districts.

It is not to be supposed for a moment that the new Congressional apportionment would suit the Democratic press and leaders. It is conceded, however, that, although the new districts are not what a Democratic Legislature would have made them, they are about as fair as could have been expected inasmuch as the boot was on the other leg. At all events, the districts are as they are, and will remain so until changed under the requirements of a new census.

It is not so certain, had the political complexion of the Legislature been reversed, that the districting of the State would have been anything like as fair and as liberal toward the minority party. The number of districts surely Democratic under the new arrangement might have been reduced by one or two, and how often has it been found that a Legislature overwhelmingly Democratic has left any chances for Republicans to get into Congress? In many districts in the South where Republicans elect their members to Congress they are not permitted to take their seats.

Those disappointed ones who are just now wasting their breath in denouncing the "gerrymander" should reflect how much better they might have fared on the whole question of apportionment had they not been so grasping and unreasonable. When they had a decided majority in one branch of the Legislature, with the Governor at their back, they would listen to nothing that was fair. They simply overreached themselves and might have been more severely punished for their greed.

Memorial Day.

Next Monday occurs the event so dear to every member of the G. A. R. of Pennsylvania. It is devoted by them to a solemn duty, in which all classes are glad to unite. Earth's fairest flowers are culled from conservatory, garden and wild wood and cover the graves beneath which repose the bodies of heroes, whose noble spirits have taken their flight to realms of perfect day.

Here bring your best offerings. Participate eagerly in a high and holy duty. Flowers, flowers! symbols of our truest affection and richest sentiment. Here is our offering on Freedom's altar, our contribution to Liberty's remembrance. As the soldier veterans, whose step from age and infirmity is becoming unsteady, go forth to their great duty, we shall look at them with interest. Soon they, too, will join the mighty army triumphant, not only in carnal conflicts, but—far better—in every spiritual battle.

MR WM. O'BRIEN seems to be bitterly hated by Canadian Orangemen. Considering their sentiments toward him and the very feeble police system which seems to prevail throughout Canada, William is a bold man to go among them and say what he does. As it is, he has been physically disabled. It is said that he expects to come to the United States. Here he will be perfectly safe. Woe be to the Canadian, be he an Orangemen or a Lemonman, who would dare molest O'Brien under the "bonny blue flag." We would send Policeman Folk after such an offender and place him in the lock-up over night.

THE other day while Editor O'Brien, of *United Ireland*, was in Toronto, Canada, a brick was thrown at him, which, instead of hitting O'Brien, struck a reporter of the New York *Tribune*. Perhaps we have no right to object to attacks made on O'Brien, but the Orangemen up there have no right to injure a citizen of the United States. If they are not more careful of their missiles we shall consider it a *casus belli* and will go up there and attach Canada at once.

GENERAL NOTES.

"Bike" is now the recognized term for bicycle.

Gounod is composing a cantata to be dedicated to the Pope.

A lady at Sanford, Fla., has 100 varieties of roses in her flower garden.

The flesh of rattlesnake when cooked is as white as milk and very delicate.

Two hundred and sixty-two pairs of twins were born in Chicago during 1886.

The manuscript of Burn's poem, "The Whistle," has recently been purchased for £283 by Lord Roseberry.

Mr. Abell, of the Baltimore *Sun*, with $20,000,000 or more at his back, is said to be the richest newspaper man in the world.

About the latest is a glass-bottomed boat, used, according to a foreign correspondent, to gaze down upon the beauties of the bottom of the sea at Nausau.

There are 198 days of fasting or abstinence in the Russian Church year, and they are kept as a rule by the working classes. The advent fast is kept very strictly.

It is reported that Robert J. Burdette, the genial humorist, has been elected deacon in his Baptist church at Lower Merion, Pa. Mr. Burdette is a great believer in cold baths.

David Dudley Field takes a daily horseback ride or walks with a light step up Broadway for exercise, and ascribes the vigor of his mind and body at 80 years to outdoor exercise.

Old Louis Fridetts, a 72-year-old citizen of Fall River, imagined that he could walk on air. He tried it the other day by walking out of an open window, and now lies dangerously injured.

It is said that the Church Army, of the Church of England, has brought 3,000 recruits to the church, and has 1,000 more ready for confirmation. They were mostly gathered out of saloons and the streets.

The people of Bronson, Mich., draped the lamp posts in mourning the other night, and suspended paper lanterns from them, because the village authorities say they are too poor to furnish street lights.

W. H. Parkinson, of Mineral Point, Wis., while sowing oats, found a gold ring on the point of one of the seeder teeth. The ring was lost about 30 years ago by a young lady in passing over the farm.

Prof. John M. Klein, Kentucky's great astronomer, telegraphs from Hartford Observatory that he has just discovered "The Star of Bethlehem" in the northwestern heavens, closely skirting the horizon.

A calf belonging to D. B. Stevens, of Cassville, Wis., was picked from the track by a passing train and carried on the cowcatcher to a point opposite the stable, when it jumped off, not in the least harmed.

An old woman aged 94, living at Kingston, R. I., near Providence, is afflicted with Asiatic leprosy in a very advanced stage. Others who have come in contact with her are said to be affected by the disease.

Uncle Dick Bennett, of Bentonville, Mo., who used to be known as "Dick Bennett, the Quarter Horse Racer," joined the Christian church and was immersed on Sunday last. Uncle Dick is 109 years old and very vigorous.

The Germans are training dogs to do outpost duty in the army and to perform all sorts of military services. In addition to the canine contingent the Prussians are mobilizing a lot of hawks for the capture of the French carrier pigeons.

Senator Stanford has at Vina, Cal., what is probably the largest vineyard in the world. On a 30,000 acre ranch he has 3,500 acres planted in bearing vines, The vineyard is divided into 500-acre tracts, and most of the work is done by Chinese.

As Bobert Burch, of Rock Creek, Cal., was watching the clouds during a severe thunder storm a flock of wild geese passed over his house. As they flew along a flash of lightning seemed to pass through the flock, and six of them fell to the ground dead.

There are such myriads of cotton caterpillars in the Pedee Swamp, South Carolina, that a mail train passing over the Pedee river trestle was brought to a standstill recently by thousands of these worms being on the rails and causing the wheels to slip.

Lightning struck the house of Andrew Pearson, near Independent Hill, Va., the other day, and killed his two daughters, his 5-year-old boy, and Mr. Luther Wright, who had taken refuge from the storm. Two other children were prostrated, but will recover.

The Duchess of Galliera and 83,000 of her country women have presented a petition to the municipality of Genoa, asking for the restoration of the statue of the Madonna above the gates in recognition of the preservation of the town during the recent earthquakes.

Some of the Southern negroes who have reached an advanced age and really don't know how old they are, sometimes mark their years up rather high. Near Tocco, Ga., is an old woman who beats them all. She says she is aged 200. However, every one calls her crazy

A Congressman tells of an interview he had with the President when he added his own recommendation to that of others for the appointment of a man from his State to a certain office, and he concluded by saying: "And further, Mr. President, he has great influence in our State, and has done most valuable work for the party there." "Don't you think," answered the President, with a quiet smile, "that you had better keep him at that?".

Poetry.

THE OLD FASHIONED CHURCH.

'Twas an old fashioned church in a new fashioned town,
Shrinking from the turbulent street,
And the sun, from the untinted windows shown down
Like a blessing, beseechings to meet.

If the old fashioned worshipers knelt in the pews
To hear the good minister pray,
Was that cause for an unkneeling stranger to lose
The prayer, and to let his eyes stray?

It was not? Then suppose that his straying eyes met,
Just over the top of a pew
And beneath a hat laughing with feathers and jet
Two eyes of heavenly blue—

Was that susceptible stranger to blame
If he heard not the minister's prayer,
If he thought of the creature and guessed at her name,
And forgot the Creator up there?

You insist that 'twas wrong? Well, perhaps you are right,
But this much let a sinning man say:
Every maiden's blue eyes should be kept out of sight
When she kneels in the old fashioned way.

THE CHURCH STEPS.

Two centuries of steps, and then
A field of graves!
With many a sculptured tale of men
Lost in the waves.

You climb and climb, with here and there
A seat for breath,
To find amid the loftier air
A realm of death.

And thus it is with human life—
Men toil to rise,
And lo! above the strain and strife
A graveyard lies.

Two centuries of steps, and then
Amid the graves,
A holy house that tells to men
Of Him that saves.

O weary men and women worn,
That there have found
And find bright hints of heavenly morn
On earthly ground!

And so atop the steps of Time,
If climbed aright,
Heaven's glad and everlasting chime
And home of light.

EVENING.

His signal fire the sun drops down the west,
And marshalls all his cloudy hosts aright,
Retreating from his vantage ground oppressed
By the advancing armies of the night.

Slow fade the crimson banners from the blue;
A holy hush broods o'er the earths calm breast,
One sound alone breaks the deep silence through,
A sleepy bird complaning from its nest.

Our Story Teller

A DOMESTIC EXPERIMENT.

"I don't think," said Mr. White, 'that the hay crop ever promised so finely."

"Indeed!" said his wife, absently.

"And if there isn't any fall in the price of fruit," he added, "our peach orchard is going to net us a cool hundred dollars."

As he spoke, he flung the homespun towel with which he had been wiping his hands over the back of the kitchen chair.

"O, George, do hang up the towel!" said Mrs. White. "The nail is just as near as the chair-back, and I have enough steps to take in the course of the day, without waiting upon you."

"You are always grumbling about something," said the young farmer, as he jerked the towel on to its nail. "There! Does that suit you?"

"Here is a letter from Cousin Dora, George," said Mrs. White, wisely avoiding the mooted question. "She wants to come here and board for a few weeks.

"Well, let her come!" said White. "It wont cost us a great deal, and a little extra money always counts up at the year's end."

"But, George, I was thinking—"

"About what?"

"Why, I am so hurried with the work, and there is so much to do—"

"That is the perpetual burden of your song," said Mr. White, irritably. "Women do beat all for complaining!"

"Won't you hear me out?" said Mrs. White. "So I thought it would be a good plan to give Dora her board, if she would help me with the housework a little. It will accommodate her, and it will accommodate me."

"But it won't accommodate me?" said George White, cavalierly. "Really, Letty, your are getting absolutely lazy."

Mrs. White crimsoned.

"No one ever said that of me before," said she.

"But just look at it," said the farmer. "Tell me of any other woman in the neighborhood who keeps a girl! Why, they make a boast of doing their own work."

"They all have sisters, or mothers, or grown daughters; I have none."

"Pshaw," said White. "Ridiculous! Of course you have to work. We all do, don't we? But your work don't amount to a row of pins. I don't know of any one who has it easier than you do."

"That is all that you know about it!" said Letty, in a choked voice.

"Write to Dora that we'll board her for five dollars a week," said White, authoritively. "We must earn all the money we can while there is chance. Make hay while the sun shines, eh? And I guess you'll manage to get along as well as other women do, Letty. Now run up stairs into the garret, and get me my blue jean overalls, there' a good girl!"

Letty obeyed, but the tears were in her eyes, and a big, round ball was rising up in her throat, and she could hardly see the jean overalls, as they hung up high on one of the beams.

As she reached up, a loose board in the garret floor tipped; her foot slipped through on the laths and plaster below, and, with a groan, she sank to the floor.

The time passed on, and George White grew tired of waiting.

He shouted up the garret stairway:

"Look alive there, Letty! Do you mean to be all day?"

But no answer came. He ran up stairs, to find Letty lying senseless on the floor, with one leg broken, just above the ankle.

"Now you'll have to get some one to do the work," said Letty, not without a spice of malice, as she lay on the calico-covered settee, with her poor ankle duly set and bandaged.

"Not if I know it," said George White. "Hire a lazy woman who'll want a dollar and a-half a week, and her board into the bargain, to do the work of this house? I guess not!"

"But what are you going to do?" asked Letty.

"To do it myself, to-be-sure. Half an hour every morning and half an hour every evening ought to be enough to square up accounts."

"Well," said Mrs. White, "I shall just like to see you do it!"

"Then you'll have your wish!" said her husband.

He rose early the next morning and lighted the kitchen fire.

"Pshaw!" said he, as he piled on the sticks of wood, "what does a woman's work amount to, anyhow? What's the next lesson, Letty?"

"I always skim the cream and skim the milk," said Letty, who, bolstered up on the lounge, was combing her hair with more deliberation than she had practiced for a year.

"Well, here goes then," said George. And a period of silence ensued.

Presently he shouted:

"I haven't got milk-pans enough!"

"Of course you haven't!" said Letty. "You must scald out yesterday's. You know you said you couldn't set up a tin-shop when I asked for a dozen more last month."

"They smell like a fat-boiling factory," said George, disdainfully. "What ails 'em?"

"You should have scalded them out last night," sighed Letty, wishing that she had wings like a drove, that she might soar into the milk-room and restore order out of chaos.

"Here's a go!" said George. "There isn't any hot water."

"Oh, George, you've forgotten to put the kettle on!"

"So I did," said her husband. "And the sticks, hang 'em are all burned out!"

"You know I wanted you to get a ton of coal," said Letty; "but you said that as long as wood cost nothing but the chopping and hauling, wood it should be."

"Have I'got to wait for that confounded water to heat?" groaned George.

"I don't know anything else for you to do," remarked Letty dryly.

"Humph!" observed her lord and master. "What's for breakfast?"

"Well, I'm up to that part of the programme, at least," said he cheerfully. "Oh, the dickens! What is the use of keeping your knives so sharp? I've nearly cut my thumb off! Where do you keep the oatmeal? I can be attending to your old milk pans while the breakfast is cooking. I suppose. There is nothing like economy in work!"

But it was a mortal hour before the milk was strained and the pigs fed, and by that time the house was blue with a sort of smudgy smoke.

"Hullo!" shouted George, coming in. "What's all this?—is the house on fire?"

"No," said Letty, calmly; "only the breakfast has burned up."

George uttered a long sigh.

"Who'd have thought the fire was so hot?" said he. "What am I to do now?"

"Cook another, I suppose," answered Letty.

"And what next?" demanded Geo. fiercely tugging at his moustache.

"Why, set the table, and then clear it away and wash the dishes."

"With this cut finger?" complained the husband.

"I was obliged to do it all the weeks I had that sore felon on my middle finger," remarked Letty. "The young turkeys and geese ought to have been left out and fed long before this; and the three calves in the barnyard must be attended to. And then there are the kitchen and sitting room to be swept and dusted, and the beds to make, and string-beans to be picked, and huckleberry pies to make, and your white vests to be ironed, and potatoes to be peeled, and the preserves to be scalded over, and the cheese to be turned, and dinner to get, and the table to clear, and the dishes to be washed——"

"Hold on!" cried George; "you've said that once."

"Very likely, but it has to be done three times a day—and the chickens to be looked after, and the linen pillow-cases to be put bleaching, and the south windows to be washed and your trousers to be patched, and the stockings to be darned, and the fire to make up again and tea to be prepared—you know you always like something hot for supper And then the night's milk may be brought in and strained, and the pans scalded, and the geese and turkeys fed and shut into their coops, and—Oh, dear! I entirely forgot the churning! That will take an hour, at least. But, dear me, George, I am getting so hungry!—and I don't see the least signs of breakfast. George! Where are you going, George? I—I—want—my breakfast!"

For George had disappeared in the midst of her exordium.

In twenty minutes or so he returned, and by his side trudged Mary Ann Pult the nearest neighbor's twenty-year-old daughter.

"I take it all back," said Mr. White. "I lower my colors, Letty. Your work is harder than mine. I'll be everlastingly blest if it ain't. Why, I couldn't take care of the milk, and cream, and cheeses for the wages a girl would ask. I never realized before how much a woman had to do."

"Are you quite sure you realize it now?" said Letty, mischievously.

"Well, I've got a pretty fair idea on the subject," nodded George.

"But you should be here on washing-day," said Letty, "or on ironing day, or on the days when we chop sausage-meat, or make soft-soap, or—"

"Stop, stop!" shouted George. "If you say another word, I'll go for Mahala Binks, too. Haven't I said that I take it all back? What more would you have!"

"Wal, squire," said Mary Ann, who had by this time removed her hat and shawl, "What'll I do first?"

"Do!" echoed Mr. White. "Do everything, and let me get off to the hay field as fast as I can."

"Jes' as your orders is," said Mary Ann.

"And I say, Letty!" he added.

"Yes George."

"Write to your Cousin Dora. Tell her we'll be glad to board her, if she will assist you about the house."

"But you've hired Mary Ann!"

"There's work for 'em both," said Mr. White.

And he sat down, and took refuge in last week's paper, while Mary Ann wrestled with the charred remains of the breakfast, and cut fresh slices of home-cured ham.

In this world there are bloodless battles and victories won without the clash of steel; and in this category may be classed Mrs. White's victory over her husband, in respect to the question of "hired help."

Warfare—Corned beef and hard tack.

Almost a Death-Mask.

The honor of having one's features preserved to prosperity in enduring bronze is sometimes offset by the danger to life attending the preliminaries to the compliment. The Boston *Budget* tells the story of how Thomas Jefferson was placed in a very serious predicament when on one occasion Mr Browere, a New York sculptor, attempted to take a plaster cast of his head.

The family of the ex-president were opposed to it, but he finally consented, saying he did not have it in his heart to refuse a man so trifling a favor who had come so far. He was placed on his back on a sofa, one of his hands grasping a chair which stood in front.

His family could not bear to see him with the plaster over his face, and therefore were not present; and the faithful Burwell, his colored body servant, was the only person, beside the artist, in the room.

The process began, but there was some defect in the arrangements made to permit his breathing, and Mr. Jefferson came near suffocating. He was too weak to raise or to relieve himself, and his feeble struggles were unnoticed or unheeded by his Parrhasius.

The sufferer finally bethought himself of the chair on which his hand rested. He raised it as far as he was able, and struck it on the floor. Burwell became conscious of his situation and sprang furiously forward. The artist shattered his cast in an instant

The family now reached the room and Browere looked as though he thought their arrival most opportune, for though Burwell was supporting his master in his arms, the fierce glare of the African eye boded danger. Browere was permitted to pick up his fragments of plaster and carry them off, but whether he ever put them together to represent features emaciated with age and debility and writhing in suffocation, is not known.

A celebrated violinist had been invited to a reception. He was enjoying himself after the coffee, when one of the guests, Dr Smith, approached him.

"I trust," said the latter, that we shall have the pleasure of hearing you play this evening."

"No, sir," rejoined the other in a very decided tone, "not this evening."

"What, not this evening? Why, I thought——"

"That it was my profession. Well, you are right, doctor. However, to please you I will play a little morceau as soon as you have amputated a leg."

Hints and Suggestions.

If salt is sprinkled around the edges of a carpet, when on the floor, it will keep away moths.

White paint that has become discolored may be nicely cleaned by using a little whiting in the water while washing.

Flannels should be washed in hot soap suds and rinsed in hot water containing soap enough to soften it a little.

Starched shirts will iron easier if you let them them dry after starching, so you will have to sprinkle them before ironing.

Never wet the hair if you have any tendency to deafness; wear an old silk cap when bathing, and refrain from diving.

A piece of pointed whalebone or pine wood is nice to clean out corners. Wash your windows with a sponge and polish with tissue paper.

Clean lamp chimneys by holding them over the spout of a teakettle full of boiling water, then wipe them with a clean cloth. It will make them beautifully clear.

It is said if feather beds and pillows be left out in a drenching rain every spring, and afterward exposed to the sun and air on every side until dry, they will be much freshened and lightened.

Keep cut flowers fresh for several days by filling a vase with clean sand, to which is added a liberal supply of powdered charcoal. Embed the stems of the bouquet in this, and water occasionally.

Never put milk, fat or any oily substance into the ear for the relief of pain, for they soon become rancid and tend to incite inflammation. Simple warm water will answer better than anything else.

Silver becoming black may be avoided by keeping that which is not often used in canton flannel bags, with small bags about the size of a thimble filled with bits of gum camphor packed in and around the articles.

For mildew, pour a quart of boiling water on an ounce of chloride of lime. When it is dissolved add three quarts of cold water. In this put the garment and let it soak for twelve hours. If not very bad the spots will come out in less time.

A Veteran.

Clearfield Republican.

The sole surviving representative of the Revolutionary war, as recognized by the government, is Abigail S. Tilton, of North Woodbridge, Rockingham county, N. H. Out of the army of persons who are entitled to pensions she is the only one who receives such as the wife of a soldier of the Revolution. Mrs. Tilton is the widow of Benjamin Stevens, who, according to the musty records of the office, participated in the battle of Bennington, as a member of Captain McConnell's company, under the command of General Stark. Mrs. Tilton is now a trifle more than 100 years old. She was married a second time in 1836, but was divorced and assumed her maiden name. Her second marriage invalidated her right to a pension as the widow of Benjamin Stevens, but the State of New Hampshire subsequently granted her an allowance of two dollars a week for the remainder of her natural life. About eight years ago Congress further increased this by the addition of sixteen dollars a month, to be paid to her as a special Revolution pension, it having been alleged that she was houseless, homeless and childless." The old lady is represented as enjoying excellent health and in the full possession of all her mental and physical faculties. Until a year ago three other relicts of Revolutionary heirs drew similar pensions through the Knoxville agency. But they have all died within the past twelve months, and Mrs. Tilton is the only link left connecting the government of to-day with the stormy scenes of 1776.

Sherman and Curtin in Open Session.

From the Washington Capital.

Gen. Sherman, always a centre of attraction in all the gatherings he attends, seems not to realize that the eyes of everybody present are centered upon him. At the gathering in the Congregational church last week General Sherman occupied a seat in the centre of the stage alongside of the old War Governor Curtin, of Pennsylvania. These two, seemingly oblivious of their surroundings, kept up a constant and lively gossip all the evening, to the annoyance of the orators and singers, in what they innocently imagined were whispered tones, but which were in reality base notes, so distinctly audible as to be heard in all parts of the house Those on the stage, or close to the two men, must have heard what they were talking about, too, as the faces of the hundreds fortunately so favored were continually wreathed in smiles, while once or twice their owners burst into involuntary laughter, as General Sherman would get off some good story on Curtin or Curtin would strike back at the General. The dignified Senator Sherman glanced reprovingly at his older brother, but it had no effect at all in quieting him, and only served to amuse the surrounding veterans.

Mary's Little Lamb.

"Most of our readers will be surprised to hear that the well known nursery song of 'Mary Had a Little Lamb' is a true story, and that 'Mary' is still living," remarks a writer in the *American Agriculturist*. "About seventy years ago she was a little girl, the daughter of a farmer in Worcester county, Mass. She was very fond of going with her father to the fields to feed the sheep, and one day they found a baby lamb which they thought to be dead. Kind hearted little Mary, however, lifted it up in her arms, and as it seemed to breathe she carried it home, made it a warm bed near the stove, and nursed it tenderly. Great was her delight when, after weeks of careful feeding and watching, her little patient began to grow well and strong, and soon after it was able to run about. It knew its young mistress perfectly, always came at her call, and was happy only when at her side. One day it followed her to the village school, and, not knowing what else to do with it, she put it under her desk and covered it with her shawl. There it staid until Mary was called up to the teacher's desk to say her lesson, and then the lamb walked quietly after her, and the other children burst out laughing. So the teacher had to shut the little girl's pet in the wood shed until school was out. Soon after this a young student named John Rollstone wrote a little poem about Mary and her lamb and presented it to her. The lamb grew to be a sheep and lived for many years, and when at last it died Mary grieved so much for it that her mother took some of its wool, 'which was as white as snow,' and knitted a pair of stockings for her to wear in remembrance of her darling. Some years after the lamb's death Mrs. Sarah Hall, a celebrated woman who wrote books, composed some verses about Mary's lamb and added them to those written by John Rollstone, making the complete poem as we know it. Mary took such good care of the stockings made of her lamb's fleece that when she was a grown-up woman she gave one of them to a church fair in Boston. As soon as it became known that the stocking was made of the fleece of 'Mary's little lamb' every one wanted a piece of it; so the stocking was raveled and the yarn cut into short pieces. Each piece was tied to a card on which 'Mary' wrote her full name, and those cards sold so well that they brought the large sum of $140 in the old South Church.

The Latest Craze.

Young ladies generally like to claim some article from their young men friends which they put to novel use, and denominate "scalps" of their victims. Years ago, "when I was young and foolish," it was an odd or pretty button; if the gentlemen had served in the war, and could furnish an army button, so much the better; this trophy was mounted and worn as a brooch, to the great envy of the girls who had no "heroes" among their friends. Of late years, bangles and brooches, and, indeed among the more fortunate ones, entire necklaces have been composed of dimes, which deluded youths have had chased and engraved with their names. To-day you must get a felt hat from your friend (it may be an old one) and, if possible, three of his walking sticks. Cover the outside of the hat with strips of many colored ribbon, arranged in rainbow fashion; line the inside with pale-blue satin; form a tripod of the three sticks, caught in the center by an enormous bow of blue satin, and rest the hat upon this tripod. It makes a very novel and convenient catch all or card basket.

Singular Phenomenon.

United States Consul Plumacher, writing to the State Department from Mancaïlo, Venezuela, speaks of the country abounding with small lakes. Says he: "There is a curious circumstance connected with these miniature lakes and for which I have heard no satisfactory explanation. Every one swarms with small fish, although the same spot may have been a few weeks ago completely parched and dry. As the dry season advances one after another of the lagoons disappear, leaving their former beds exposed for months to a fierce sun, which makes it impossible to believe that the life of any aquatic animal could be preserved in a soil so burnt and arid. With the rains, however, the fish appear as usual, the Indians firmly believing that they fall from the sky."

In the Alps: Guide—"If the ladies will only stop talking, your honor may hear the roaring of the waterfall across the valley."

The man who would pick another man's pocket would write an anonymous communication to a newspaper.

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Lady visitor—"I am very sorry to see you here, my young friend. You look as if you had a good education."

Convict—"Well madam, I have been through Yale College."

Lady visitor—"Is it possible?"

Convict—"Yes, that's the reason I'm here. They caught me as I was going through."

At the moment our story opened he was upon his knees before her in one of the handsomest apartment houses up town.

"Dearest," he pleaded in passionate tones. "will you, O will you be my wife?"

„O so gladly, George," was the girl's reply, for she loved him truly, "but you will first have to get the consent of the janitor."

"Do you know, man," he said solemnly, "that the constant use of whisky eventually destroys the will power?"

"No sir," replied the youth, incredulously, "it increases the will power. I heard a man say last Sunday morning, as he found a side door locked, that he proposed to have a drink if he had to try every saloon from Harlem Bridge to Sandy Hook. And he meant it, too. Talk about will power!"

"Have you got a copy of the laws passed by the last Texas Legislature?" asked a stranger of an Austin stationer.

"No, sir; the laws of the last Legislature have not been published but we have 'Schenck's Handbook on Poker,' pocket flasks, and almost every other legislative requirement you can think of."

In a small town out West an ex-County Judge is cashier of the bank.

"The check is all right, sir," he said to a stranger, "but the evidence you offer in identifying yourself as to the person to whose order it is drawn is scarcely sufficient."

"I've known you to hang a man on less evidence, Judge," was the stranger's response.

"Quite likely," replied the ex-Judge, "but when it comes to letting go of cold cash we have to be careful.

She was a tender, passionate thing, full of all those sweet, emotional charms that lead to engagements which calmer reason throws a different light upon. She sang. She did not only try to sing as most young women do. She could sing, and she sang. She liked pretty, sentimental ballads, and once forgot the point, and drove a fellow away by giving him with fine expression and forgetful enthusiasm that beautiful musical advice, "Bid Me Good-bye, and Go!" He bade her "Good-bye," and went. She could not understand what he meant, until through the tear-filled eyes she read accidentally the legend on the page of music. It is needless to say he returned. It is no use asking how she did it. It wouldn't do you any good to know. Every girl has her own patented way of bringing a fellow back. It is the only thing they are distinctly original in except making pie.

Ample Cause for Shame.

Drake's Travelers' Magazine.

A Dutchman who had lost his wife took unto himself a second spouse with a haste that struck his neighbors as somewhat unseemly; so, on the night of the ceremony they tendered him a serenade, with the usual tin-pan and horn accompaniment, at which he waxed extremely wroth.

"Poys," he said from an upper window, "don't you vas ashamed of yourselluf to make dot noise ven dere vas a death in de house so lately since?"

Pieces of toilet soap that have become too small for convenient handling may be utilized by making a small flannel bag, leaving the top open, and into this putting the pieces of soap as they accumulate. When it is full sew over the top and you have a nice accessory for your bath-tub.

Rain-in-the-Face," one of the Indians who killed Custer, wants to go to school. He will soon change his name to "Hail-on-the-Back," then, unless boys and teachers have changed marvelously since this witness used to miss four lessons a week.

A Burlington boy confided to his Sunday School teacher that he had no desire to walk in his father's footsteps, and being pressed for the reason finally admitted that it was because his father toed in.

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U'd ever go a-monkeyin' 'round
A dandy kid like Cupid.
But, Parson, I am bound to say,
I done it once for certain,
An' ef I live a hundred years
The thing'll keep on hurtin'.

I never knowed uv women's ways,
Till one day, little Kitty,
Her, that's the banker's only gal,
Came up to Timber City,
An' stoppin' at my boardin' house,
Begun her purty flirtin'——
I guess with all the boys around,
An' *me*, that's gol-darn certain.

Them eyes uv her'n shined like the stars
That speckles night all over,
And both her cheeks were purtier than
Two medders red with clover;
An' when she talked—now, Parson, say,
Why can't a man take warnin'?—
It seemed to me like all the songs
That birds sing in the mornin'.

I drinked it in and wanted more,
An' she, I guess, unthinkin',
Was tickled half to death to see
A thirsty man a-drinkin';
An' filled my cup full every day,
From June clean to October,
'Till I was drunk and crazy wild,
And *she* thought I was sober.

At last, I up an' told her straight
That I was fairly dyin'
Fer love of her, an' darn my boots
She jest broke down a cryin',
An' told me it was all in fun,
That she was only flirtin'——
An' ef I live a hundred years
The thing'll keep on hurtin'!

—*William J. Lampton, in Wild-Bits.*

Orange Blossoms—Miles-Stricklan.

Mr. A. Kohlbecker's Central City Hotel, near Milesburg, was the scene of a wedding on Thursday afternoon. The contracting parties are well known and very popular. The groom was Mr. Oscar Miles, son of William B. Miles, the merchant in that place, and the bride was Miss Emma Stricklan. Rev. W. O. Wright, pastor of the Milesburg Presbyterian church, was the officiating minister. Miss Clara Whitehill was the bridesmaid and Mr. J. W. Weaver acted as the groom's best man. The bride and her maid were attired in white and the wedding party presented a very pleasant picture. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony, which was pleasing throughout. After hearty congratulations had been extended to the bride and groom, the assembled company sat down to a most elegant and substantial dinner, which Mr. Kohlbecker and the assistants at his hotel understand so well how to prepare in the most tempting style. At 5 o'clock the bride and groom entered the train and were conveyed to Philadelphia. After a brief visit to the seashore they will return next Thursday to locate in Milesburg.

As we remarked, the groom and bride are well-known and popular. The groom is manly and handsome and the bride a very pleasing and agreeable young lady, well suited to be his life-companion. Their numerous friends will unite with this paper in hearty congratulations and hopes for their happiness and prosperity.

—Renovo is to have a national bank.

Handsome Homes.

Just now all the fine residences and the grounds which surround them present the most attractive appearance of the year. Bellefonte is well provided with beautiful homes and grounds. They indicate a great variety of taste in their owners. All the styles displayed in the arrangement of grounds please us very much, as each style has its advantages and elements of beauty.

For instance, there is the open lawn, unrelieved by tree or shrub, and then there are large grounds covered so thickly with beautiful trees and bushes as almost to resemble a forest. While we admire some features of both kinds, we must confess that on a hot summer day, the cool retreat beneath the trees is our preference. So, when we pass the queenly home of Mrs. Lane, on Allegheny street, the grounds seem to offer the perfection of comfort and pleasure. Some of the trees are singularly beautiful and graceful in form while all are luxuriant. The points of beauty about a green lawn are that it, if carefully attended to, presents an expanse of matchless green surface, so velvety, soft and rich, especially in the spring-time. The cool and inviting shade beneath the trees outrivals any other attractions just now, and the trees themselves are pleasant to look at whether they be uniform in variety and form, or of many different shapes and kinds. There are many such attractive homes in Bellefonte, yearly becoming more beautiful.

—Some of the smaller towns in this county were visited, last week, by a family which has given enjoyable entertainments. The family consists of Mr. A. F. Tuttle, his wife and two young daughters. On Tuesday evening they were at Pine Grove Mills and on Thursday evening they visited Scotia. Their entertainments were favorably received. Each member of the family can sing quite nicely, and Mr. Tuttle himself excels as a "kicker." In this respect he would do for a spectator of a base ball contest whose favorite nine is losing the game. Mr. Tuttle is not a tall man, but he can kick nine feet high. The Tuttle family go to Clearfield county this week.

—The hook and ladder truck was well dedicated on Friday evening, it being received and accorded a welcome enthusiastic and real. Every ladder and device about the apparatus must feel perfectly at home by this time. Quite gaily the procession paraded through the street, led by the Zion band, and gave everybody in the principal parts of the town an opportunity to admire the very elegant truck, not to say the members of the company. The band played finely, causing quite a volume of sweet sounds to reverberate through the valleys and hills of the town. The occasion was a successful one.

Only one Week of Court.

The first week of the special June session of court, which was to begin on the second Monday of that month (13th day), has been abandoned, and there will be only one week, beginning on Monday, the 20th.

—The ladies were exercising with the lawn mower, Saturday, in the yard of the Hale residence where the Bazaar of all Nations is being held.

—The net proceeds of the recent entertainment at the Bellefonte Academy was about $30.

—Professor Isaac Sharpless has been inaugurated president of Haverford College.

—The weather indications promise a continued warm wave.

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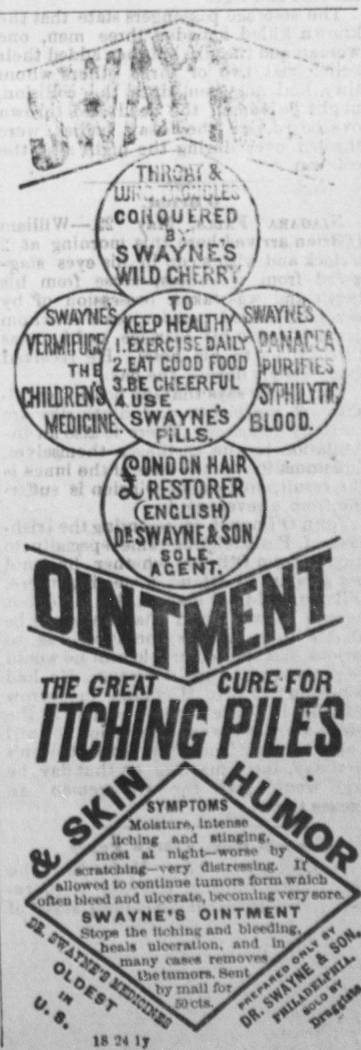
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On the Sea.

NEW YORK, May 22.—On Thursday, May 19, at 5:25 p. m., while the weather calm and the sea smooth and with a fog at intervals, the British steamer Celtic, from Liverpool, came into collision with the British steamer Britanic, from New York to Liverpool, striking her on the port side aft, doing considerable damage to the Britanic. The boats were lowered and filled with women and children from the cabin and steerage in a very orderly and expeditious manner. It is to their shame that several men forced themselves into the boats, also meanwhile an examination was made and the damage to the Britanic ascertained, and it being found that the vessel was not likely to founder, such boats as were within hailing were recalled and their occupants received on board.

A pad was made and placed over the hole in the Britanic's side and she was turned about towards New York, having arranged with the Celtic to keep company. The saddest and most deplorable result of the accident is that several steerage passengers, who were lounging about aft the time of the collision, were killed and several others injured. Both vessels, accompanied by the steamships Maengo (British) from Swansea, for New York, and British Queen (British), from Liverpool, for New York, arrived at the bar at 1 o'clock this morning.

It is now said that James Trowbridge and three female steerage passengers had been instantly killed in the collision. There were affecting scenes on the dock when the passengers arrived to-night. Eight or ten people were injured by the iron work as it fell, or the wood work as it was crushed in the board. Four of these were too dangerously wounded to be taken care of on the steamer after it arrived outside the bar to-day and were brought on a stretcher to St. Vincent's hospital. There was a boy, Geo. Robinson, Patrick Burke, aged 47, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., who was taking his wife on the vessel to Ireland, William Lawler, aged 35 who was on his way from St. Louis on a visit to Ireland, and a young woman named Rose Kelly. Burke has his ribs fractured and suffered internal injuries and Lawler's hip was dislocated, his ribs fractured and is suffering from the shock. These men are in a critical condition. Rose Kelly was injured about the feet and legs.

The steerage passengers state that the known killed included three men, one woman and the girl, but then added their belief that two or three others whom they had not seen since the collision, might be among the dead and thrown overboard, as they say bodies were thrown over during the night after the collison.

O'Brien.

NIAGARA FALLS, May 22.—William O'Brien arrived here this morning at 2 o'clock and with sleep in his eyes staggered from weakness, arose from his berth and was taken possession of by several hundred persons, some of whom carried him to his carriage, and he was then driven to his hotel. He received many callers during the day.

The doctor says that the floating cartilages of the eighth and ninth ribs are partially detached. There is also an indentation in the cartilages themselves. Inflammation of the base of the lungs is the result, and besides O'Brien is suffering from a severe cold.

John O'Donnel, representing the Irishmen of Philadelphia, came specially to inquire from O'Brien whether he could not arrange to attend a meeting there. O'Brien could not make up his mind, but he said he was afraid that he would be unable to go, as his condition was so serious that the doctor told him he would be probably laid up for weeks. He had determined to go to Hamilton to-morrow (Monday). A meeting will be held in the afternoon. He would postpone it until Thursday only Thursday is the Queen's birthday, and a meeting on that day, he said would give the Orangemen an excuse to riot.

Death from Yellow Fever.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 23.—The health authorities of this city were recently informed of an appearance of what was thought to be a sporadic case of yellow fever at Key West. The information this evening is confirmed and it is reported that two more persons have been taken with the disease. The first case was that of a man named Baker who died to-day, and the other two persons are his wife and sister. Baker lived on the Florida main land, but had been visiting in Key West. None of the persons attacked had been out of the state recently enough to have brought the seeds of the disease from abroad. Every possible precaution is being taken at Key West, and the authorities at Tampa, the nearest connecting point by sea, have established a strict quarantine. No danger is apprehended here.

O'Brien Again.

HAMILTON, Ont., May 23.—O'Brien arrived here to-day and was cordially received. This evening he addressed an audience of 2,000 in the rink, at the conclusion of which another attack was make upon him, this time with fire arms, and again there was another miraculous escape; this escape, however, being accompanied by a wound in the wrist of one of O'Brien's faithful friends. O'Brien was sitting down, after having made a vigorous speech in return for the vote of thanks passed, and Dennis Kilbride was on his feet engaged in a like task. Just then a man was observed on the platform coming over and whispering something in O'Brien's ear. It was noticed that O'Brien shook his head as though in dissent. The man persisted. Finally O'Brien arose and followed him. It was the idea of some officious and meddlesome man—a plan which he had to save O'Brien's life. The plan was to leave the rink by a narrow alley, jump into a carriage in waiting and drive to the hotel. It was the first time, so far during the tour, that he did not go out the ordinary way, and the plan well nigh cost him his life.

A number of men, hissing and groaning, followed the carriage, and as it wheeled into the Market Square there was a sudden click and the reins dropped out of John Nelson's hands, and with the exclamation, "Oh, my God, I'm shot!" he fell forward on the seat.

Crash, crash, crash, quick as lightning, and through bright flashes of flame sped the bullets from two revolvers and until eight distinct shots had been fired. Mr. O'Brien stretched forward to look out, and as he did so a ball whizzed by his face and passed through an opposite window without harming anybody.

T. P. O'Brien, Nelson's companion, who had been amazed and dazed, now grasped the reins and lashed the horses through the square into James street and down to the hotel. Here there was a hostile crowd who again hooted at the party within, tried to open the door, but could not. Mr. McMahon jumped over the door and, drawing a revolver, held the crowd at bay, while Mr. O'Brien and his friends were making their exit from the carriage. also by the same uncomfortable way.

As the party stepped into the corridor of the hotel a volley of rotten eggs was hurled at them. Chief McKinnon and his men now rushed up, but all was over. Nelson was taken to the city hospital. Dr. James White extracted the bullet. He says the wound is dangerous. No arrests were made.

Striking Coke Workers.

PITTSBURG, May 23.—Dispatches from the coke regions report everything quiet to-day. Informations have been made against the ringleaders in the recent riot. A New York labor bureau has offered to furnish the coke operators with from 150 to 1,000 men a day to take the places of the strikers. If the strike is not broken within a week the proposition, it is said, will be accepted. All the officers of the Knights of Labor deny having heard from Powderly in regard to his reported condemnation of the strike. The workmen declare that if such orders do come it will intensify rather than lessen the determination of the strikers.

GREENSBURG, Pa., May 23.—The Hungarians in the coke regions are leaving that part of the country by the hundreds. Every train on the Baltimore and Ohio and Southwest railroads leaving that region to-day were packed to overflowing. Six extra coaches have been added to the regular southwest passenger trains, and still there is not room enough for the departing Slavs and their families. They are leaving for New York, where they will take passage for the old country.

Two Reporters Killed.

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—A terrible accident occurred in this city to-day. Two bright and promising young journalists lost their lives while returning from an assignment. A number of newspaper men, including T. H. Blynn, of the Times, E. J. Isaacs, of the Press, and J. Ray Sheppard, of the Record, had been at the old fair ground, where a large festival had been held. They intended taking a train into town from Germantown Junction and undertook to cross the track at the junction. Mr. Blynn, who was in advance, saw a train rounding the curve and shouted to his companions to get out of the way. He succeeded in doing so, but Mr. Isaacs slipped on the tracks and fell and Mr. Sheppard fell on top of him. While struggling to rise the express train from New York, drawn by engine No. 31, tore down upon them, struck them and carried their bodies about a hundred yards before the train could be stopped. Both Isaacs and Sheppard were killed almost instantly, and their mutilated bodies were placed on the platform for transfer to this city.

Some Bill Signed.

HARRISBURG, May 24.—The governor signed a large number of bills to-day, among them the following: To give preference of appointment or employment to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and mariners who fought for the union in the late war; a supplement to an act providing for the selection of a site and erection of a state hospital for injured persons of the anthracite coal regions, in the counties of Schuylkill, Carbon, Dauphin, Northumberland and Columbia, etc.; providing for the payment of costs in criminal cases by the proper county; to extend the minimum school term to six months; authorizing the courts of quarter sessions to make orders about the payment of costs in road cases; to regulate the employment of labor, requiring two weeks' notice of intended abandonment of work to be given the employer, who is also obliged to give a similar notice of intended discharge; providing for the semi-monthly payment of wage-workers; repealing the act increasing the pay of sheriffs and jailers of Lebanon county; repealing act to authorize the court of common pleas of Luzerne county to appoint auditors in certain cases; amending the game law so as to prohibit the killing of quail or Virginia partridge between December 15 and October 15, providing a penalty of $10 for every violation of the act; making the breaking into cars a felony; securing to laborers the benefit of the exemption laws and to prevent assignment of claims for the purpose of securing their collection against laborers outside the state; authorizing marriage licenses to be applied for before justices of the peace and aldermen; authorizing county treasurers to charge and deduct commissions from school, road and all other municipal taxes collected and paid over by them to the proper authorities; providing punishment for persons stealing lumber on banks of rivers and streams; to authorize certain foreign corporations to purchase certain real estate at judicial sales and to hold and convey the same under certain conditions; regulating the method of the choice of directors in certain corporations of the first class

O'Brien Talks.

HAMILTON, May 24.—Alluding to the attack on O'Brien last night at Hamilton a spectator this morning asserts positively that the shots were fired from O'Brien's carriage before the attacking party had touched the trigger or adjusted a cap. Speaking of this, O'Brien said "that the report was the meanest and the most malignant statement which has yet been made. It is false in every particular. The editorial must have been written with the sole purpose of inviting an attack in Montreal. I am satisfied, though; I feel perfectly at ease. I feel that a triumph greater than any I expected has been accomplished."

Base Ball.

At Boston—Boston 8, Indianapolis 7.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 12, Athletic 13.

At Washington—No game; raining.

At Philadelphia—Chicago 2, Philadelphia 4.

At New York—New York 4, Pittsburgh 5.

At Louisville—Louisville 4, Metropolitan 5.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 9, Brooklyn 2

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 3, Baltimore 4.

An Exciting Session

LONDON, May 24.—The session of the house of commons lasted until 5.30 o'clock this morning, when an adjournment was taken until 2 p. m. After great excitement and frequent applications of the cloture, section 2 of the crimes bill was adopted by a vote of 235 to 103. During the discussion Mr. Tanner, nationalist, was compelled to apologize for violent language.

Briefs.

HARRISBURG, May 23.—General Bailey, late state treasurer, has taken his case to the supreme court on a writ of error. Judge Simonton recently decided that he was accountable to the state for $70 000, lost through the failure of the Exchange bank of Bradford, one of the depositories of the state funds.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Edmund Von Tilly, Professor of languages in the Gastman college, this city, committed suicide by shooting this morning. He left a note with $65, asking to be cremated. He was formerly a brave officer in the Australian army.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The president this afternoon appointed Andrew H. Dill United States marshall for the eastern district of Pennsylvania. Burt Olsen was appointed fourth-class postmaster at Kettle Creek, Pa.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The statement is circulated here that the President is going to Saranac Lake this early in the season in order to be in Washington in case an extra session of Congress is decided upon is ridiculed at the White House. There will be no extra session, it is understood, unless some exigency unforseen should arise, and it is not anticipated that any will.

PARIS, May 23.—An election was held yesterday for a Deputy for the Seine. M. Mesurier received 198,297 votes and General Boulanger 33,038. It is semi-officially stated that M. Rouvier declined to form a Cabinet, but at President Grevy's request undertook to discover what combination was possible. With that view he consulted the party leaders, including M. De Freycinet, Julien Fallieres, Naguet and De Herodia.

LONDON, May 23.—A telegram from Rome says: "A summary of the so-called memoir on the Irish question has reached Rome. A second inquiry at the Irish College elicited another indignant denial of any knowledge of such document, which is declared to be a malicious and stupid invention, devoid of the least probability.

The glaring absurdity of the above memoir and the ignorance it displays are evident to every person who considers the nature and origin of the Irish College, so that the opinion is general that it could not have come from Rome.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

Tusseyville.

Farmers are done planting corn and are happy.

The young people are all alive to music. They have a well organized singing society which meets once a week and is well attended.

There is a party for the Penn Cave on the programme.

Mr. James H. McClellan took his two sisters, Mary and Sallie, to visit for two weeks.

The Tusseysink School house presents a handsome appearance. The front has a new coat of mud put on by some mischievous little boys.

Deer are plenty as they come out of the mountain quite often.

The Democratic candidate for County Treasurer of this place has forgotten, or if he has not forgotten he can exercise more cheek than a mule, when he asked for support. If he wants to make the nomination he will have to do it outside of his own neighborhood, for he has neither Democratic nor Republican friends in this place. George, consider your actions of last winter.

The choir of the Evangelical church, of this place, renders some very excellent music under the leadership of Prof. A. N. Bierly. HUCKLEBERRY.

The State College Appropriation.

A gentleman writes us in regard to the appropriation made by the Legislature to the State College as follows:

"The amount of the appropriation is $112,000, $12,000 of which will be received at the rate of $3,000 per year for agricultural experiment work, about $75,000 for additional buildings and repairs and the remainder for machinery for the mechanic art shops, instruments for the departments of civil and mechanical engineering, models and casts for industrial drawings, and similar equipments.

The buildings will be chemical and physical laboratories, a drill hall and armory, wmith a large assembly room for public occasions, greenhouse and botanical laboratory, and two or three dwelling houses. Work on the buildings will begin as soon as plans can be carefully considered, and about $75,000 will be spent here in this way within the next two years.

"I hope you will take pains to give special credit to the Hon. John A. Woodward in this matter. He labored for the measure with great intelligence and unflagging zeal."

The Fair and Supper.

The bazaar began in Hale's building, Allegheny street, Tuesday afternoon. The display of fancy articles was notably grand, contributions having been received from friends of the church in all parts of the country. It is probable that the orchestra will be present most of the time. There will be numerous attractions which we will not explain now, preferring that they be surprises to the patrons of the fair.

SUPPER.

Chicken croquettes, Chicken salad,
Potato salad, Shrimp salad,
Cold ham, Cold tongue,
Saratoga chips.
Hot biscuit, Rusk and Bread.
STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE,
Coffee, Tea.

Ice cream, strawberries and cream and cake will be extra and may be had at any time during the evening.

—We have received a very beautifully printed invitation to the marriage of Miss Annie O., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wertz, to William Bigler Miller, which happy event will be solemnized in Christ Reformed church, Philadelphia, on Wednesday, June 1, at 8 o'clock, p. m. Mr. Miller is a member of the firm of Speece, Miller & Co., and he frequently visits Bellefonte. He and his bride will be at home to callers Wednesday, June 29, at "Maple Cottage," Berwyn, Pa. He has our very hearty congratulations.

—Mr. William H. Smith, clerk for the commissioners of Clinton county, died very suddenly on Sunday in Lock Haven. Mr. Smith taught a class in the M. E. Sunday-school and after the exercises felt so ill that he was compelled to retire into an adjoining room. He died in a short time thereafter before medical assistance could be procured. He was 59 years old and quite a prominent citizen.

—On Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Fischer, the Lutheran minister at Centre Hall, delivered a most admirable temperance sermon. We are informed that his text was the clause, 'Gather up the fragments.' People who heard it pronounce it a wonderfully excellent temperance discourse and suggest that the W. C. T. U. request Rev. Mr. Fischer to preach for them in Bellefonte some time soon.

—Mr. Henry Baney, on East High St., for the last week or ten days, has been quite sick with some disease of the stomach. He is an old man, aged about 75 years, and has been a resident of the county for more than fifty years. He has been receiving medical attendance from Dr. Hibler, and at this writing we are pleased to say he is some better with hopes of recovery.

—The lady friends of the Y. M. C. A. are making a new rag carpet for the audience hall of that organization. The good part of the carpet at present on the audience hall will then be used to cover the reading room. The ladies certainly have the gratitude of the Association for their thoughtfulness.

Deaths on Sunday.

Several deaths are reported to have occurred last Sunday under quite different circumstances. In Lock Haven a gentleman died in the Sunday-school room after having taught a class. In Pittsburg a death occurred under very similar circumstances. In Philadelphia there were five deaths, the result of a pleasure excursion. Of the five who died in Philadelphia all were more or less drunk.

We would like to call attention to the way death came to these people. The two men who died just after their endeavor to convert men to the Christian religion could indeed pass from this world in a happy manner. There are no better circumstances under which a follower of Christ could pass away than while in His actual service. Surely, under such circumstances the invitation, "Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord," must be doubly precious.

The others passed away, unrepentent, in the midst of their sins and in the commission of actual transgression. Their amusements, properly indulged in, would be all right, but while taking their own pleasure on God's holy day, while drinking and carousing, renders their deaths doubly to be deplored. In the one case death is a joy—the gate of Heaven; in the other it is horrible—the gate to eternal woe.

A New Cure for Rheumatism.

It is a curious fact, to which we call the attention of the medical fraternity of this country, that chronic rheumatism can be cured. The remedy is of the most allopathic and heroic character, consisting as it does, of the outward application of two shot guns and a mad dog, the whole "to be well shaken before taken."

The pathetic story of Jno. Hendricks of Warsaw, Ga., will be regarded as a demonstration of the theory known as the mind cure, and this fact makes the case still more exciting. Hendricks had the rheumatism for ten years—that is, he thought he had. He was so impressed with this unfortunate idea that his legs did their best to tie themselves in a bow knot, and succeeded remarkably well. His arms also were doubled up in the most remarkable manner—or at least that was the notion he had about them.

One day, while sitting under a live oak tree, a mad dog chanced that way and two men with guns in hot pursuit. Suddenly shots were heard and the live oak was well peppered. All at once Hendrick's opinion about his rheumatism was changed. He concluded in a trice that he didn't have any, or at any rate not enough to prevent him from getting out of the way. He jumped up, therefore, danced a war dance, yelled to the sports and then made for home with the speed of a "deer gazelle." Since that moment he has had no rheumatism.

However, there's no use to call it a miracle. The cure was effected by cold lead and a mad dog.—*N.Y. Herald.*

All Sorts.

First Omaha dame—How is your son getting on at college?

Second Omaha dame—Splendidly, but I am afraid he studies too hard. I got a private note from his room-mate advising me to send for my son, as he was beginning to toss around nights and see snakes and things.

Dear me!

Yes, isn't it awful! I have written to the faculty to ask them to excuse the poor boy from any further attendance at the lectures on zoology.

A drummer who is making his first trip through this State, and who came to this city from St. Albans yesterday, claims to have found in that place the meanest man in Vermont. He says that he treated a man with whom he got acquainted at the depot, whereupon his companion showed the drummer an officer's badge and swore that he would arrest him unless $10 was paid over. Rather than submit to any trouble the commercial man says he paid up. He thinks Vermont the driest region he has struck yet.

"I want you," said the millionaire to the artist, "I want you to paint my wife's portrait."

"Certainly. If the lady will arrange for the sittings I will place myself at her disposal."

"When can you be ready to begin?"

"Any time. I will get my canvas ready at once."

"Pardon me! You said canvas."

"Yes."

"You do not know who I am. I am a man of wealth, and money is no object. I can afford to pay for something better than canvas for my wife's picture, sir."

M. DE FREYCINET declines with thanks President Grevy's invitation to make a new cabinet for him. This seems to puzzle the French, but it must excite wonder in America that in a country of nearly forty millions of inhabitants, with probably a million of intelligent, educated men, the choice of statesmen to direct the affairs of the nation is limited to half a dozen or a dozen. Our Presidents have thousands to select from, and often an unknown man is brought from the back-woods who proves to be a capable head of a department. The French seem to be afraid to trust any man who has not already made some sort of reputation, forgetting that the most modest and retiring may be the wisest, the safest and the most patrotic.

Wanted His Pension.

Applicant—Is this the place to apply for a pension? I'm an old soldier, sir, and, up to the present time, I haven't asked the government to give me a cent. Now I want assistance.

Pension Agent—You want a back pension?

Applicant—Certainly; that's where I was shot.

FOR

Biliousness, Sick Headache, Constipation, Dyspepsia.

Now when the buds begin to show,
'Tis time for young and old to know
That *Fevers, Lassitude* and all
The ills at *Indigestion's* call,
With every trouble, ache or pain,
That follows in the *Bilious* train,
Will scatter like the thieves of night,
Before a draught of **SELTZER** bright.

SPECIAL MENTION.

A Sea Sick Passenger.

On the ocean, cares little about a storm. He is positively indifferent whether he is washed overboard or not. But, set right by a wineglassful or two of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, he feels renewed interest in his personal safety. This fine corrective neutralizes in brackish water—often compulsorily drank on shipboard, to the grievous detriment of health—the pernicious impurities which give rise to disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. To the mariner, the tourist, the Western pioneer and miner, the Bitters is invaluable as a means of protection against malaria, when its seeds are latent in air and water. To the effects of overwork, mental or manual, it is a most reliable antidote, and to the debilitated and nervous, it affords great and speedily felt relief and vigor.

Don't Complain.

The *Daily Democrat*, of Lock Haven, severely criticises Senator Betts for permitting Clinton county to be placed in a congressional district which, to use the phraseology of that paper, is "hopelessly Republican." Come, now; don't berate the Senator. Perhaps he couldn't prevent it. Besides, he has done Clinton county a great service. She is now in company, which, while in some respects, not as good as Centre, is yet excellent politically. Tioga and Potter are strongly Republican and can hold Clinton level all the time. When Centre and Clinton were united the result was sometimes deplorable, although we fixed it up splendidly the last time with Gen. Patton, didn't we? But Centre county has reason to complain. The twenty-eighth district to which she is now relegated is almost hopelessly Democratic. It will require strenuous efforts on our part to convert this district to Republicanism, but after our success in the old district with Clinton we shall not despair. Don't give up so easy, Joe.

The American Exhibition in London has the longest bar ever built.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, May 25, 1887.

Red Wheat, new, per bushel	$ 85
Mixed Wheat, new	80
Buckwheat	40
Rye per bushel	50
Corn (shelled)	45
Corn (ears)	40
Oats	25
Cloverseed, fair to good	$4.50
do prime and extra prime	4.75
do choice	5.00
Flour, retail, per barrel	4.65
Flour, wholesale	4.00
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$10.00—$12.00
Nova Scotia Plaster	$8.50

Provision Markets.

[Corrected weekly by A. C. Meyer & Bro.]

Apples, dried, per pound	5
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	12
Dried Currants, per pound	10
New Raisins, per pound	12½
Beans, per quart	10
Fresh Butter, per pound	20
Cheese, per pound	20
Country Hams, per pound	12
Hams, sugar cured	15
Shoulders	10
Breakfast Bacon	12½
Country Bacon	8
Lard, per pound	10
Eggs, per dozen	12
New Potatoes, per bushel	50
Dried Beef	20
Canned Beef, per pound	25
Country Side, per pound	8
Canned Tomatoes, per can	12½—15
Canned Corn, per can	10—12½
Lemons, per dozen	30
Dried Sweet Corn, per pound	12
Apple Butter, per gallon	50
Roller Flour, per sack	$1.25—$1.31
Apples, per bushel	1.25

Medical.

The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health.

At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's **Peculiar** Sarsaparilla. It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. The peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation of the vegetable remedies used give to Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar curative powers. No **To Itself** other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures. If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other instead. It is a Peculiar Medicine, and is worthy your confidence.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

Seventy Miles Away.

Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

There is a story that Mr. Eliot Glover of Portland, formerly of this city, related apropos of sounds out of the still sky. I was in Farmington, said he, visiting my uncle. On Christmas night I attended the Christmas festival with my uncle, and it was a clear starlit night, for I remember at the close of the Christmas tree festival they sent a fire baloon into the air, and it went straigbt up and seemed to hang over us quite stationary. Then it took a course in another direction and seemed to float over toward Lewiston. The next day was Sunday, and after breakfast I walked out with my uncle. It was a very still day without a breeze, apparently, from any quarter. Smoke rolled up straight into the sky. We were walking silently along when my uncle stopped and said: "What do you hear?" I listened. "It sounds like the roar of the sea," I said. It did sound like it—the low monotone of the surf upon the shore, the ceaseless roar of the ocean in a storm. "But," I added, "of course it is not the sea. It must be the wind." "The wind ?" asked my uncle; "where do you see it? Look at those trees. They are motionless. Look at the smoke. Look at the grove of pine trees over there. They would sing if any trees were singing, and they are quiet." Sure enough it wasn't the wind, and if not the wind what was it? It must be the ocean. We listened to it for five minutes. It boomed and roared sullenly. I was convinced that it was the sea. In the afternoon I met a well-known Farmington gentleman out walking and asked him if he had heard any sound odd or strange. He said that he heard the wind in the trees. I asked him if he could see any trees in motion, and he said no. I told him I thought it was the sea. He poohed at first, but subsequently I heard him telling a friend that he had heard the sea roaring. That night we looked at the map, and found that the nearest points at which the sea came was Boothbay and Harpswell, and they are from seventy to eighty miles as the birds fly. The next day the newspapers brought reports of a fearful storm along the coast, with high seas and damaging surf along the shore. I have not hesitated to believe that we heard the surf at Boothbay that Sunday in Farmington. What current of upper air brcught it that seventy miles? The day was as calm as the calm of the ocean at rest."

He Could Sing.

Several years ago on one of our northern bays, when, as yet, steamers were infrequent visitors, a certain small boat used to ply, touching at various points, according as its freight or the weather demanded.

The crew was somewhat limited, consisting of the captain, the first mate, whose name was Barnabas, and the cook, John, who, when stress of work required, also acted as second mate.

John was an excellent cook and a fairly good sailor, but he was afflicted with an impediment in his speech which made him somewhat backward in expressing himself, and was especially annoying, if, for any reason, he became excited. At such times the more he wanted to say something the less he was able to say it. Fortunately, however, he could sing as straight as any one.

One day the Captain was below taking a nap, while Barnabas and John were running the boat. A sudden squall happened to come up, and a puff of wind brought the boom around with such unexpected violence as to knock the unwary Barnabas overboard. Thereupon John rushed into the cabin in the wildest excitement to inform the Captain of what had occurred, but, as usual, he was unable to get out a coherent sentence.

"B—b—b—b—" he stuttered, until the Captain, in a rage, shouted:

"Thunderation! man, sing it, if you can't say it," and John, catching at the happy suggestion, sang:

"Overboard is Barnabas,
Half a mile astern of us."

The boat was immediately put about and the luckless Barnabas recovered.

THE Legislature has passed the bill providing for submission to popular vote of the question of abolishing the poll tax qualification for voters. The poll tax requisite is a constitutional provision and cannot be abolished unless two successive legislatures shall agree to submit the matter to the people and there shall be a popular majority so to amend the constitution. The bill which has been passed at this session met with no opposition to speak of, and the ultimate abolition of the poll tax is generally considered as a mere matter of time. As the next Legislature must also agree to the bill, and an election be held to determine the popular will, the scheme cannot be consummated for at least two years.

THE Philadelphia *Bulletin* notes with pleasure the passage in the Legislature of the bill appropriating $100,000 for the centennial celebration in September next of the adoption of the Federal Constitution of Pennsylvania as a State. With this good start there ought no longer to be any delay on the part of private citizens in carrying forward the undertaking to a successful consummation. The public spirited men of Philadelphia cannot too soon begin to take hold of the matter. They should do their part to make the celebration one of the memorial events of Philadelphia history. Every one knows how much the Bi-Centennial celebration in the Autumn of 1882 did, not simply to foster local and patriotic pride, but also to stimulate the trade of the city during that season.

Calling Out the Reserves.

During past years, the brave women who pioneered the equal suffrage movement, and whose perceptions of justice were keen as a Damascus blade, took for their rallying cry: "Taxation without representation is tyranny." But the average woman, who has nothing to be taxed, declined to go forth to battle on that issue. Plain, practical temperance people have begun appealing to this same average woman, saying: "With your vote we can close the saloons that tempt your boys to ruin;" and behold! they have transfixed with the arrow of conviction that mother's heart, and she is ready for the fray. Not rights, but duties; not her need alone, but that of her children and her country; not the "woman," but the "human" question is stirring women's hearts, and breaking down their prejudice to-day. For they begin to perceive the divine fact that civilization, in proportion as it becomes Christianized, will make increasing demands upon creation's gentler half; that the Ten Commandments and the Sermon on the Mount are voted up or voted down upon election day; and that a military exigency requires the army of the Prince of Peace to call out its reserves.—FRANCES E. WILLARD.

Facts and Fancies.

Grass butter.

Umbrageous shade.

Healthy atmosphere.

Seasonable weather.

Keep up the repairs.

Spring trousers are baggy.

The bumbly bee humbleth.

Peach growers look hopeful.

The rye is running into head.

Keep flour and meal in a dry place.

The Bible is the hive of all sweetness.

The small onion is of standard flavor.

Peaches and plums are assuming shape.

The roses are preparing to bud in June.

Notes bear interest only when so stated.

Don't forget to plant plenty of sunflowers.

A deformed body may have a beautiful soul.

The oats fields are refreshing to look upon.

Do not allow accounts to run. Settle often.

Canton flannel makes excellent dish cloths.

The man with the seersucker has come to stay.

Nature will soon smile through a wreath of roses.

The clover fields present a luxuriant appearance.

The busy bee is now improving each shining hour.

A new thing is the rubber bustle. It is blown up before it is put on.

A French copper 1656 was found in an old Langhorne, Pa., house.

A proper headline for marriage notes would be Maritime Notes.

One pair of sharp scissors in hand is worth two dull pens in a sanctum.

Some New York society women deem it the acme of fashion to gild their finger nails.

A lover of statistics has calculated that 19,909 stitches are required for a hand-sewed shirt.

This is the most unkindest cut of all, said the public man when he saw his picture in the newspaper.

Journalists get more free advice than any other class of people, and it is not strange that newspapers have advice left over which they can afford to give away.

A Chicago literary man is named Geo. W. Hoss. He earns enough to always have a bit in his mouth when he feels hungry; and preserves his equine-imity when he has an article rejected.

Disgruntled people should hesitate before they go in with a club to hit the editor. The man who is all the time putting heads on copy may possibly have learned how to put a head on an unwelcome visitor.

Tommy Knew.

Mother—Tommy, how are you coming on at school?

Tommy—First rate, ma.

"Mention the names of some of the domestic animals."

"The horse, the dog, the pig."

"Mention some more, Tommy."

"The goose, the hen, and the duck."

"Yes, I was thinking of four legged animals. What animal is that which lives mostly in the house, but which often makes a dreadful noise so that people cannot sleep?"

"Four legged animals?"

"Yes."

"Don't let people sleep?"

"Yes."

Tommy (triumphantly)—The piano.

Benjamin Shirey, 27 years old, of Turkey City, Clarion county, occupied a cell at the station house, Reading, one day this week. He is out of his mind, and imagines his body full of steel rings and that he is very powerful. He also says he is full of lightning.

Mercantile Appraisement.

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT FOR 1887.

	Class.	Amount.
Armstrong Bros., Lemont, grain and coal	12	13 25
Auman, N. A., Millheim, merchant	14	7 75
Adams, Joseph & Co., Milesburg, merchant	13	10 75
Adams, T. F., Milesburg, merchant	13	10 75
Addeman & Ratowsky, Philipsburg, merchants	11	15 75
Barnes, H. L, Boalsburg, merchant	13	10 75
Beck, Henry, Madisonburg, merchant	14	7 75
Bartholomew, W. H., Centre Hall, merchant	12	13 25
Beck, William, Boalsburg, merchant	14	7 75
Brown, Henry, Hublersburg, merchant	14	7 75
Brown, Lawrence L, Bellefonte, grain and coal	11	15 75
Bairfoot & Wetzel, Bellefonte, stationery	14	7 75
Bayard, Walter, Bellefonte, drugs	14	7 75
Blair, F. P., Bellefonte, jeweler	14	7 75
Bauer, V. J. & Co., Bellefonte, grocers	13	10 75
Brachbill, W. R., Bellefonte, furniture	14	7 75
Brown, A. J. & Co. Bellefonte, music store	14	7 75
Blackford, George cigars and tobacco	14	7 75
Bellefonte Iron & Nail Co., Limited, Bellefonte, merchants	11	15 75
Boak Bros., Snow shoe, merchants	12	13 25
Buddinger, T. B., snow Shoe, merchant	14	7 75
Barber, G. F. & Co., Philipsburg, hardware	13	10 75
Biddle, W. M., Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Burchfield, W. E. Philipsburg, novelty	14	7 75
Brinton, Duncan & Barnes, Philipsburg, merchants	10	20 75
Bunnell & Aikens Bellefonte, music store	13	10 75
Beezer, Mrs. Maggie, Administratrix, Bellefonte, distiller,	8	25 75
Boggs, A. T., Milesburg, merchant	14	7 75
Cornman, H P, Oak Hall, merchant	14	7 75
Campbell, E C, Millheim, merchant	14	7 75
Cook, Robert, Howard, merchant	14	7 75
Curtin & Co. Roland, merchants	12	13 25
Cunningham, F D, Bellefonte, cigars and tobacco	14	7 75
Cunningham F D, Bellefonte, pool	1	30 75
Cook, C E & Co, Bellefonte, coal and lumber	14	7 75
Cruse, A J, Bellefonte, cigars and tobacco	14	7 75
Camp, W R, Bellefonte, furniture	14	7 75
Ceader, Joseph, Bellefonte, confections	14	7 75
Crissman, S S, Philipsburg, drugs	12	13 15
Centre Mining Co, Limited, Penna Furnace, merchants	13	10 75
Chaney & Thompson, Port Matilda, merchants	13	10 75
Crider, P B & Son, Bellefonte, merchants	14	7 75
Campbell, Charles, Philipsburg, pool and billiards	3	50 75
Co-operative Store Co, Limited, Philipsburg, merchants	10	20 75
Dale & Co, Centre Hall, merchants	14	7 75
Dorman, S E, Zion, merchant	14	7 75
Durham Bros, Coburn, merchants	13	10 75
Davis, E A & Son, Philipsburg, jewelers	14	7 75
Dale, Homer & Co, Philipsburg, clothing	13	10 75
Ewing, A G, Penna Furnace, merchant	13	10 75
Eisenhuth, Jacob, Millheim, drugs	14	7 75
Else, C H, Milesburg, drugs	14	7 75
Everett, C A, Lemont, drugs	14	7 75
Eby, N W, Woodward, distiller	8	25 75
Emerick, J S, Wolf's Store, merchant	14	7 75
Erhard & Shuey, Bellefonte, grocers	13	10 75
Ewing, J S, Snow Shoe, drugs	14	7 75
Fisher, J B, Penn Hall, merchant	13	10 75
Foster, W L, Lemont, merchant	13	10 75
Fauble, M, Bellefonte, clothing	14	7 75
Frank, I, Bellefonte, merchant	14	7 75
Fleck, H M, Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Feistal, A R, Philipsburg, jeweler	14	7 75
Faulkner, C A, Philipsburg, pool table	1	30 75
Goheen, J C & Bro, Rock Spring, merchants	14	7 75
Goheen, J C & Bro, Rock Spring, merchants	13	10 75
Gray, R J P, Stormstown, merchant	12	13 50
Griffin, J H. Stormstown, merchant	14	7 75
Goodhart, S H, Hublersburg, merchant	14	7 75
Green, F Potts, Bellefonte, drugs	13	10 75
Guggenheimer, Isaac, Bellefonte, merchant	14	7 75
Garman, D & Son, Bellefonte, merchants	13	10 75
Graham & Son, Bellefonte, boots and shoes	14	7 75
Glenn D M, Bellefonte, news depot, cigars and tobacco	14	7 75
Gray, J F, Benore, merchant	14	7 75
Grenoble, I J, Oak Hall, grain	14	7 75
Gramley, T F, Oak Hall, grain and coal	14	7 75
Grenoble, I J, Spring Mills, merchant	12	13 25
Grenoble, Bartges & Co, Limited, Coburn, grain and coal	12	13 25
Griest, A J, Fleming, merchant	12	13 25
Griest, T E, Fleming, merchant	13	10 75
Gingrey, John, Julian, merchant	14	7 75
Gilliland & Tobin, Snow Shoe, merchants	14	7 75
Grauer, William, Snow Shoe, merchant	12	13 25
George, M E, Philipsburg, drugs	12	13 25
Ganoe, J A & Co, Philipsburg, notions	12	13 25
Gray, I V, Philipsburg, merchant	8	30 75
Glenn, F A & Co, Centre Hall, merchants	14	7 75
Harper Bros, Bellefonte, merchants	12	13 25
Hoover & Goss, Hannah, merchants	14	7 75
Harper, Thos, Aaronsburg, merchants	14	7 75
Hicks, John, Millheim, pool and billiards	2	40 75
Harper & Creamer, Centre Hall, merchants	13	10 75
Harter, William, Rebersburg merchant	12	13 50
Haas, Mrs L, Bellefonte, brewer	8	25 75
Holmes, Mrs M E, Milesburg, merchant	14	7 75
Hibler, John, Milesburg, merchant	14	7 75
Hoover, J W, Fleming, merchant	13	10 75
Hess, J G, Pine Grove, merchant	14	7 75
Hess & Erb, Pine Grove, merchants	14	7 75
Harris, James & Co, Bellefonte, hardware	10	20 75
Harper, Jared, Bellefonte, grocer	13	10 75
Hoffer, C U, Bellefonte, merchant	13	10 75
Harris, John, Bellefonte, drugs	14	7 75
Hicks, H K & Bro, Bellefonte, hardware	10	20 75
Homer, N H, Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Hess, William, Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Herman, George, Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Hoover, Hughes & Co, Philipsburg, merchants	12	13 25
Hayworth, G W, Philipsburg, confectionery	14	7 75
Hirlinger, C G, Philipsburg, clothing	12	13 25
Harper, A W, Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Hale, J M & Co, Philipsburg, hardware	11	15 75
Hoffer, H O, Philipsburg, confectionery	14	7 75
Hirsh, F, Retort, merchant	13	10 75
Haag, Gotlieb, Pleasant Gap, distiller	8	25 75
Hosterman, F O, Fiedler, merchant	13	10 75
Irvin, Daniel, Julian, merchant	13	10 75
Joseph Bros & Co, Bellefonte, merchants	8	30 75
Jacobs, C H, Bellefonte, confectionery	14	7 75
Jones, A., Philipsburg, hardware	11	15 75
Jackson, R A, Retort, merchant	12	13 25
Jenkins & Gilmour, Philipsburg, merchants	14	7 75
Kauffman, D S & Co, Millheim, merchants	13	10 75
Kunes, J I, Blanchard, merchant	13	10 75
Kessler & Fryberger, Philipsburg, merchants	8	30 75
Long, Samuel, Farmer's Mills, restaurant	5	50 75
Lucas Bros., Howard, merchants	13	10 75
Lauth, B Mrs, Howard, merchant	12	13 25
Loeb, S & A, Bellefonte, merchants	9	25 75
Lewin, S., Bellefonte, clothing	13	10 75
Ludwig, William, Bellefonte, grocer	14	7 75
Lyon & Co, Bellefonte, merchants	8	30 75
Lucas, William, Snow Shoe, merchant	14	7 75
Lucas, J T, Moshannon, merchant	14	7 75
Long, J D, Spring Mills, merchant	13	10 75
Leathers & Co, Fleming, merchants	13	10 75
Lehmens, William, Philipsburg, merchant	11	15 75
Lehman, Joseph, Philipsburg, clothing	13	10 75
Mattern Store Co., Limited, Buffalo Run, merchants	14	7 75
Mattern Store Co, Benore, merchants	13	10 75
Meiss, G R, Tusseyville, merchant	14	7 75
Musser, J H & Son, Millheim, boots and shoes	14	7 75
Musser & Smith, Millheim, merchants	13	10 75
Musser, W S, Millheim, hotel	5	50 75
Meyer, G J & Son, Coburn, merchants	14	7 75
Musser, M M, Aaronsburg, merchant	13	10 75
Meyer, D I, Centre Hall, hotel	5	50 75
Murray, J D, Centre Hall, drugs	14	7 75
Meyer, G J & Son, Linden Hall, grain and coal	14	7 75
Maun, J F & Co, Axeman, merchants	13	10 75
Miller, Mrs S E, Walker, merchant	14	7 75
Moore, H A, Howard, merchant	14	7 75
Miles, Wm B & Son, Milesburg, merchants	13	10 75
McCalmont & Co, Bellefonte, farmers supply store	12	13 25
Moyer, A C & Bro, Bellefonte, grocers	12	13 25
McFarlane, J Kyle & Co, Bellefonte, hardware	10	20 75
McMillen, C G, Bellefonte, pool	1	30 75
Mingle, A C, Bellefonte, boots and shoes	14	7 75
Montgomery & Co, Bellefonte, merchant tailoring	14	7 75
Meese, John, Bellefonte, grocer	12	13 25
McCoy & Linn, Milesburg, merchants	12	13 25
Munson, C & Sons, Philipsburg, merchants	12	13 25
Munson, R E, Philipsburg, furniture	14	7 75
McClellan, W A, Madisonburg, merchant	14	7 75
Miller, W R, Sandy Ridge, merchant	11	15 75
Meyers, T J, Philipsburg, merchant	14	7 75
Noll, W H & Bro, Pleasant Gap, merchants	13	10 75
Neff, Mrs S & Son, Milesburg, merchants	14	7 75
Nutall, John & Co, Philipsburg, merchants	13	10 75
O'Bryan, James, Bellefonte, pool and billiards	4	60 75
Pierpoint, James, Stormstown, merchant	13	10 75
Philips, W H., Aaronsburg, merchant	13	10 75
Pringle, S R, Port Matilda, merchant	14	7 75
Parker, George E, Philipsburg, stationery	14	7 75
Pealer, William, Spring Mills, merchant	13	10 75
Peck & Son, Nittany, merchants	14	7 75
Quigley, J A, Blanchard, merchant	13	10 75
Rhoads, Daniel, Loveville, merchant	13	10 75
Rider, M, Guyer, merchant	14	7 75
Reiley, Thomas, Boalsburg, merchant	14	7 75
Royer & Frank, Rebersburg, merchants	12	13 25
Ross, J H, Linden Hall, merchant	13	10 75
Robb, William, Romola, merchant	14	7 75
Reese, A W, Port Matilda, merchant	14	7 75
Ross, J I, Pine Grove, merchant	14	7 75
Richards, F C, Bellefonte, jeweler	14	7 75
Rhoads, W S, Philipsburg, drugs	14	7 75
Riddle, Walter & Bro, Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Ryman, E A Philipsburg, merchant	14	7 75
Russ, John, Philipsburg, merchant	14	7 75
Smith, Martin, Guyer, merchant	14	7 75
Stuart, James, Boalsburg, merchant	14	7 75
Swartz, S M, Tusseyville, merchant	14	7 75
Strohm, Michael, Centre Hill, merchant	14	7 75
Shafer, H G, Millheim, tavern	5	50 75
Spigelmyer, G R, Spring Mills, merchant	13	10 75
Spigelmyer, J, Millheim, merchant	13	10 75
Snooks, J W, Millheim, merchant	12	13 25
Stover, J W, Millheim, merchant	14	7 75
Snyder, M D, College, merchant	14	7 75
Stuart, J W, College, merchant	13	10 75
Shuey, E M, Houserville, merchant	14	7 75
Solt, David, Zion, merchant	14	7 75
Shafer, B F, & Son, Nittany, merchants	14	7 75
Schenck, J, Howard merchant	13	10 75
Singer, William & Co, Blanchard, merchants	14	7 75
Sneder, B F, Wingate, merchant	14	7 75
Smith, A V, Bellefonte, grocer	13	10 75
Sourbeck, J D, Bellefonte, grocer	14	7 75
Schreyer, H H, Bellefonte, carpets	14	7 75
Stitzer, H Y, Bellefonte, book store	14	7 75
Stewart & Davies, Snow Shoe, merchants	13	10 75
Swires & Homer, Philipsburg, merchants	13	10 75
Sankey & Heimach, Philipsburg, merchants	13	10 75
Switzer, L J & K, Philipsburg, stationery	14	7 75
Stuart, H S, Philipsburg, furniture	14	7 75
Schoonover, J N, Philipsburg, boots and shoes	14	7 75
Smith, Calvin, Philipsburg, grocer	14	7 75
Sechler & Co, Bellefonte, grocers	11	15 75
Thompson & Smith, Potters Mills, merchants	14	7 75
Thompson, & Co, Lemont, merchants	13	10 75
Twitmire, W T, Bellefonte, stoves and tinware	14	7 75
Thompson, S U, Bellefonte, merchant tailoring	14	7 75
Tailor, Robert, Philipsburg, distiller	8	25 75
Trimble, A E, Philipsburg, confectionery	14	7 75
Troxell, J N & Co, Philipsburg, merchants	7	40 75
Van Valin, O W, Coburn, distiller	8	25 75
Vonada, B F, Coburn, merchant	13	10 75
Whitmer & Lincoln, Coburn, grain and coal	12	13 25
Wolf, R M, Woodward, merchant	13	10 75
Wolf, William & Son, Centre Hall, merchants	12	13 25
Weber, B & Son, Howard, merchants	13	10 75
Williams, S H, Martha, merchants	14	7 75
Woodring, G F, & Co, Port Matilda, merchants	14	7 75
Waite, J S, & Co, Bellefonte, implements	13	10 75
Williams, S H, Bellefonte, wall paper	14	7 75
Wilkinson, W H, Bellefonte, crockery	13	10 75
Whiteman, J D, Bellefonte, merchant	14	7 75
Withes & Huffington, Philipsburg, merchants	9	25 75
Whitmer Bros. Centre Hall, furniture	14	7 75
Wolf, E F, Spring Mills, confectionery	14	7 75
Wetzel, J B, Moshannon, merchant	14	7 75
Yearick, Thomas, Aaronsburg, merchant	14	7 75
Yearick Bros, Hublersburg, merchants	14	7 75
Yearick, U W D & Bro, Walker, merchants	14	7 75

An appeal will be held at the Commissioners' Office, in Bellefonte, on the 28TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1887, between the hours of nine and three o'clock, when and where you may attend, if you think proper.

19 18 A. G. ARCHEY, Appraiser.

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REPUBLICAN,
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—The inspection of Company B on Monday afternoon should be a source of gratification to the boys and of pride to Captain Mullen and all the officers. We could not be present at the inspection and cannot give our individual opinion. We understand that there was quite a full attendance of the members of the company, and that the inspecting officer pronounces Company B the best he has inspected thus far in the Fifth regiment.

A Good Endorsement.

Dr. Deo. W. Miller, of Clarkson, N. Y., under date of May 21, 1883, writes:—"After several months experience in prescribing Gillmore's Aromatic Wine, I find it very beneficial as a tonic and appetizer following fevers, and in the debility of some cases consequent upon child birth. I think it a safe and admirable tonic to use with old people. When used as a tonic I have noted marked improvement in the nearly ever present leucorrhœa, ladies suffer." Gilmor's Aromatic Wine is a medicine, not a beverage, and is the best tonic and vitaliizer know for men, woman and children.

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We have tested its virtues, personally, and know that for Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Throbbing Headache, it is the best medicine the world ever saw. We tried forty other remedies before Simmons Liver Regulator, but none of them gave us more than temporary relief; the Regulator not only relieved but cured us.—H. H. JONES, Ed. Telegraph and Messenger, Macon, Ga.

New Jersey Wine sent to Europe.

Mr. Speer (of New Jersey) the Great Wine Man's Success has arisen from the strict purity and valuable properties of his wines for invalids and feeble persons, and his reputation extends around the world. His Port Grape Wine is now being ordered by families in London and Paris.

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—There was new moon on Sunday.

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19 20 4m.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft, or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splint, Ringbone, Sweeny, Stifles, Sprains, Swellings, etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. Warranted. Sold by F. POTTS GREEN, Druggist, Bellefonte. 18 3m

The book and stationery store of Mr. H. Y. Stitzer, on Bishop street, is the best place to procure whatever you want in that line. Mr. Stitzer always keeps a full and very desirable assortment of goods. The best books, children's toys, game, novelties, plain and fancy stationery, legal and other blanks may always be found there. Since the fire he has purchased a great variety of new goods. Call at his store.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD for evidence that will convict the parties who killed sixty-five bearing peach trees, in my lot, with coal oil.

19 20 4t A. B. SNYDER.

Spring and Summer Season, 1887. We are now showing full lines of Seasonable Woolens. Leave your order now.
MONTGOMERY & CO., Tailors.

COURT PROCLAMATION—Whereas, the Hon. A. O. Furst, President of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th judicial district, consisting of the counties of Centre and Huntingdon, and the Hon Jas. R. Smith and the Hon. Chester Munson, Associate Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept bearing date the —— day of May, 1887, to me directed, for holding a special session of the court of Common Pleas, in and for Centre county, at the Court House in Bellefonte, beginning Monday, June 20, to continue one week: I, W. Miles Walker, High Sheriff of said county of Centre, hereby notify all persons interested in cases pending to be brought before said court of its sittings, which they can attend if they see proper.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 23d day of May, in the year of our Lord, 1887, and in the one hundred and eleventh year of the independence of the United States.

W. MILES WALKER, Sheriff

19 21 4t

$500 Reward for a remedy that will cure as bad a case of piles as Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment. At druggists. 19 15 1y

LETTING.

FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE ABUTMENTS FOR AN IRON BRIDGE TO BE ERECTED OVER BALD EAGLE CREEK IN HOWARD TOWNSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Supervisors of Howard Township, will have a letting in the Borough of Howard on Saturday, May 28th, 1887, at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, for the building and construction of the Abutments for an Iron Bridge over Bald Eagle Creek, in Howard Township. All bids to include the furnishing all material, and the building and construction of said abutments, according to the plans and specifications, made therefor by the County Engineer. The plans and specifications may be seen and examined at the store of Jonathan Schenck, in Howard Borough. Bids will be received up till 2 o'clock of the said day.

All bids should be addressed to the Supervisors of Howard Township, at Howard, Centre Co., Pa.

ELLSWORTH HEVERLY,
A. J WALKER.
Supervisors of Howard Township.

NOTICE OF APPEALS—Notice is hereby given that Appeals will be held at the Commissioners' office in Bellefonte, for the different townships and boroughs as follows:

For the townships of Miles, Penn, Haines, Gregg, and Millheim borough May 31.

For Harris, College, Ferguson, Half-moon, Potter townships, and Centre Hall borough June 1.

For Rush, Taylor, Huston and Worth townships and Philipsburg borough June 2.

For Union, Burnside, Snow Shoe and Boggs townships, and Unionville and Milesburg boroughs June 3.

For Howard, Curtin, Liberty, Marion and Walker townships, and Howard borough June 6

For Benner, Patton and Spring townships, Bellefonte borough June 7.

Assessors are required to be present and bring their transcripts with them. JOHN WOLF,
A. J. GREIST,
J. C. HENDERSHOT,
Commissioners.

Attest,
G. W. RUMBERGER,
Clerk.

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Bellefonte Republican.

By EDWARD T. TUTEN.

The Legislature.

HARRISBURG, May 8.—In the senate this afternoon Mr. Rutan submitted the conference report on the congressional apportionment bill, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Gobin submitted the conference report upon the bill making an appropriation for the erection of memorial tablets on the Gettysburg battlefield, and it was agreed to.

The bill was passed finally to regulate the employment of labor. [It provides that any corporation which requires from its employes under penalty of forfeiture of wages, a notice of intention to leave, shall be liable to pay to the party injured a sum equal to the amount of said forfeiture, if it discharges without similar notice a person in its employ.]

At the afternoon session the house reconsidered the vote by which the senate bill amending the corporation act of April 12, 1874, so as to relieve full paid up capital stock from liability to further assessments was lost and passed the bill finally.

The speaker laid before the house the conference report on the congressional reapportionment bill and is was agreed to.

A long debate ensued when senate bill 79 was reached. This is the bill known as the Erie Escheat bill and its purpose is to prevent escheat of coal lands held by that company which under a recent decision of the supreme court are about to be forfeited to the state. The bill was passed, yeas 146, nays 39.

The house to-night adopted the report of the conference committee on the Gettysburg memorial tablet bill. (The report increases the number of commissioners to five; makes an appropriation of $1,400 for each Pennsylvania command or organization participating in the battle and $10,000 to the Gettysburg battlefield Memorial association to be expended in purchasing land and keeping the field in repair.)

The house concurred in the senate amendment to the bill appropriating $50,000 for monuments to Generals Mead and Hancock on the field of Gettysburg. It reduces the appropriation to $40,000.

The senate to night confirmed the following nominations: To be members of the state board of health, Howard Murphy, Philadelphia; G. H. McClellan, Pittsburg; to be members of the state fishery commission, H. C. Fare, H. C. Denuth, W. L. Powell, S. B. Stillwell, J. V. Long, A. S. Dickson; to be trustees of the southeastern state hospital for insane, J. F. Hartranft, C. R. Hunsicker, B. F. Dickerson.

The general appropriation bill was passed finally as was also the bill making an appropriation for the expenses of transporting Pennsylvania exhibits to the American exhibition in London. The vote by which the senate to-day defeated the bill authorizing cities and boroughs to condemn property for the purpose of obtaining a water supply was reconsidered and passed finally.

The conference report on the wholesale liquor license bill was reported and agreed to. As passed the bill fixes the rates of licenses as follows. In cities of the first, second and third classes, $500; in other cities, $300; in boroughs, $200, and in townships. Bottlers are required to pay a license of $200 in cities of the first, second and third classes and $100 in all other cities, boroughs and towns.

The house has refused to concur in the senate amendments to the general apportionment bill and a conference was ordered. The house agreed to the conference report on the wholesale liquor license bill.

The Last Act.

HARRISBURG, May 19.—The closing hours of the legislative session, as usual, were characterized by a great rush of business and an all night session. About 2 o'clock this morning the legislative conference committee on the wholesale liquor license bill came to an agreement and the bill was passed finally. The general appropriation bill, which threatened to block an adjournment, was put upon a footing to pass the house by a neat ruse of the wily Cooper. The objection of the house to the bill was that its school appropriation forced the six months minimum term, and as the house had passed a bill looking to this result, which was defeated in the senate, it would not submit to the proposition as a rider to the appropriation bill. To get over this Mr. Cooper moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the six months bill was defeated, and it was passed, thus committing the house by its own vote to withdraw its objection to the appropriation bill.

The senatorial apportionment bill was defeated in the senate by a vote of 19 yeas to 11 nays. The conference committee upon the bill to build a new library and repair the capitol building reduced the appropriation from $790,000 to $600,000, and it was passed finally.

At 6 15 both houses adjourned until 9 o'clock. Upon reassembling the usual presentations, accompanied with speech and praise for every one, was the order of the hour.

Speaker Boyer was presented with a complete set of Pennsylvania Law Reports, Mr. Packer, of Tioga county, making the presentation and Mr. Grady occupying the chair. He was also given a handsome ivory gavel, appropriately engraved. Speaker Smith was the recipient of a magnificent sterling silver tea set and a dinner and breakfast table service. Mr. Schnatterly made the address, which was neatly responded to.

Base Ball.

Boston—Boston 8, Indianapolis 7.

Cleveland—Cleveland 3, Athletic

St. Louis—St. Louis 15, Brooklyn 9.

Cincinnati—Cincinnati 6, Baltimore 6.

Washington—Washington 1, De-

Louisville—Louisville 8, Me-phis 9.

Philadelphia—Chicago 5, Philadelphia

New York—New York 10, Pitts-

The Congressional Apportionment.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 19.—The congressional apportionment bill, as amended in conference committee and adopted by both houses, last evening, is as follows:

First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth districts—The city of Philadelphia.

Sixth—Chester and Delaware.

Seventh—Bucks and Montgomery.

Eighth—Northampton, Monroe, Pike and Carbon.

Ninth—Berks and Lehigh.

Tenth—Lancaster.

Eleventh—Lackawanna.

Twelfth—Luzerne.

Thirteenth—Schuylkill.

Fourteenth—Lebanon, Dauphin and Perry.

Fifteenth—Bradford, Susquehanna, Wayne and Wyoming.

Sixteenth—Tioga, Potter, Lycoming and Clinton.

Seventeenth—Northumberland, Columbia, Montour and Sullivan.

Eighteenth—Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Mifflin, Juniata, Snyder and Union

Nineteenth—Cumberland, Adams and York.

Twentieth—Cambria, Blair, Somerset and Bedford.

Twenty first—Westmoreland, Armstrong, Indiana and Jefferson.

Twenty-second—The city of Pittsburg and all the townships and boroughs lying between the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers, except the borough of McKeesport and the boroughs and townships lying between the Youghiogheny and Monongahela rivers in the county of Allegheny.

Twenty-third—The city of Allegheny and the townships and boroughs lying north of the Allegheny and Ohio rivers in the county of Allegheny.

Twenty-fourth—Fayette, Greene and Washington, and all the boroughs and townships lying south of the Monongahela and Ohio rivers, and the boroughs and townships lying between the Youghiogheny and Monongahela rivers and the boroughs of McKeesport in the county of Allegeheny.

Twenty-fifth—Beaver, Lawrence, Mercer and Butler.

Twenty-sixth—Crawford and Erie.

Twenty seventh—Venango, Warren, McKean and Cameron.

Twenty-eighth—Clarion, Forest, Elk, Clearfield and Centre.

Wanted to Mob O'Brien.

TORONTO, May 18.—This evening O'Brien accepted an invitation of President Mulligan to go out for a walk, against the suggestions of several gentlemen that it would not be prudent. Scarcely had they reached the street before the party was surrounded by a mob, groaning and hissing in O'Brien's face. As the party turned into Bay street a volley of broken bricks and cobble stones came flying from the centre of the Orangemen, without, however, doing any personal injury. Soon afterward J. W. Wall, of the New York Tribune, was struck with a stone and his head badly cut. O'Brien attempted to take refuge in a laundry but failing in that rushed into Labor's bicycle store. A volley of stones shattered the windows and the crowd, yelling like demons, rushed into the store showering missiles in the direction which O'Brien had taken. O'Brien, however, was led away and reached the hotel in safety. Labor's store was completely wrecked. The few policemen present made no effort to check the mob.

Grand Lodge Officers.

SCRANTON, May 18.—The second session of the grand lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows was held to-day. The most important business transacted was the election of officers, as follows: Most worthy grand master, John W. Hanley, Pittsburgh; right worthy deputy grand master, James H. Robbins, Philadelphia; right worthy grand warden, Rev. Dr. D. Croft, Wyalosing; right worthy grand secretary, James B. Nicholson, Philadelphia; right worthy grand treasurer, M. Richard Muckle, Philadelphia; representative to sovereign grand lodge Francis Rea, Philadelphia. These will be installed at the closing session on Friday.

Furious Mob.

KINGSTON, Ont., May 20.—An attack was made here to-night on Mr. O'Brien. The Ottawa reception to William O'Brien has outdone all that its most sanguine organizers expected. From the time of the arrival of the party until their departure at half-past 12 to-day, it was one continuous march of triumph on the part of their friends, and expressions of indignation at the conduct of the Orange rowdies of Toronto were uttered by many of their opponents.

O'Brien addressed a large and enthusiastic meeting here to-day. Upon the close, the people started to go out, and as O'Brien stepped on the sidewalk he was recognized by a crowd of Orangemen on the other side of the street, who raised a savage cry of vengeance and rushed across the street. Broken stones and cobble stones began flying like hail. "Drag him out! kill him! tear him asunder!" shouted the mob and they almost broke through O'Brien's body guard, which consisted of American special correspondents. As the party turned in Wellington street, another shower of bricks and stones came crashing through the crowd. O'Brien and his friends bent their heads and received the missiles on their bodies.

Messrs. Kellogg and Wall, of the New York *Sun* and *Tribune*, caught up with O'Brien on the steps leading to the house of John Newman, a Protestant. The doors were open and a shower of missiles again came across the street. The crowd crowd surged and O'Brien disappeared, evidently into Newman's house, but up to the present time nobody is certain of this. The crowd next rushed to the Burtnett house, shouting "To h—— with home rule!" "Kill him!" etc., and fired a volley of stones at the windows. Wall, the correspondent, attempted to pass the hotel, but was recognized by the Orangemen, who went for him with a rush. He escaped, however, down a side street. The Canadian *Freeman*, the Irish Catholic organ, was wrecked. Subsequently it was learned that O'Brien was safe at the house of Peter Dervin.

A Town Burned.

CALUMET, Mich., May 20.—The village of Lake Linden, on the Torch Lake, Keweenaw county, was destroyed by fire to-day, involving a loss of $2,000,000. The flames broke out at 11:55 a. m. in the brick block occupied by Newman and Trelease. From there they spread rapidly. Calumet, Harcock and Houghton were called on for help and responded quickly with their fire departments, but the firemen were unable to stop the spread of the flames, and before 2 o'clock the city was a mass of smoking ruins. Over two hundred buildings were burned The only business buildings left are one saloon and one small store. The insurance aggregates $735,000. During the fire a heavy gale prevailed. The flames leaped from block to block, destroying brick and stone structures as rapidly as wooden buildings.

There was said to be considerable loss of life, but the reports cannot be verified at present. Lake Linden was a town of about 5,000 people, many of whom are without shelter to-night. The Calumet and Hecla smelting works were slightly scorched. Forest fires threaten Crystal Falls, Whitney and Nester with destruction, having become very formidable to-day.

It Killed Him.

Special to the Altoona Tribune.

HUNTINGDON, Pa, May 20.—Philip Richardson, a stonemason of this place, who was struck by a freight train last evening at the Seventh St. crossing, died this morning at 6 o'clock. The accident occurred shortly after the watchman at the crossing had left for his home. After waiting for an eastward bound train to pass Mr. Richardson stepped upon the track unconsious of the near approach of a west-bound train, which struck him, hurling him many feet over a steep embankment. Besides receiving internal injuries he sustained a fracture of the spine, thigh and skull, and his remarkable tenacity of life after the accident is astonishing. His large family is left simply provided with a home His funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

Briefs.

DES MOINES Iowa, May 18.—The big distillery here was served with notice to-day that under the ruling of the supreme court it must close up. About 37,500 gallons of beer in vats was seized at Matte's brewery yesterday, which will be destroyed on advice of the attorney general, who decides that all the contents of a brewery are liable to seizure whether bearing government stamps or not.

LONDON, May 18.—Mr. Parnell was in London in the house of commons this afternoon. He wore a large muffler and looked feeble and emaciated.

AUGUSTA, Ga., May 20.—A man named Hoover has been going around the country urging negroes to band together to demand higher wages and telling them to apply the torch if an increase of wages were refused. After a harangue at Warrenton last night he was dangerously shot by a band, it is alleged, of armed men. It is believed that Hoover has been swindling negroes and was the victim of their wrath. There is no clue to the perpetrators. Hoover may live, but it is doubtful. He claims to be a Knight of Labor.

Courting in Church.

An exchange relates that a young gentleman happened to sit at church in a pew adjoining one in which sat a young lady, for whom he conceived a sudden and violent passion, was desirous of entering into a courtship on the spot; but the place not suiting a formal declaration, the exigency of the case suggested the following plan; He politely handed his fair neighbor a Bible (open) with a pin stuck in the following text: Second Epistle of John, verse fifth—And now I beseech thee, lady, not as though I wrote a new commandment unto thee, but that which we had from the beginning, that we love one another." She returned it, pointing to the second chapter of Ruth, verse tenth "Then she fell on her face, and bowed herself to the ground, and said unto him: "Why have I found grace in thine eyes, that thou shouldst take knowledge of me, seeing I am a stranger?" He returned the book, pointing to the thirteenth verse of the Third Epistle of John—"I have many things to write. I will not with pen and ink write unto thee; but I trust I shall shortly see thee, and we shall speak face to face." From the above interview a marriage took place the ensuing week.

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Railroads.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—Time Table, January 31, 1887.

WESTWARD	Exp A.M.	Mail P.M.
Leave Lock Haven	9 00	3 40
Flemington	9 05	3 45
Mill Hall	9 09	3 48
Beech Creek	9 25	4 03
Eagleville f	9 30	4 08
Howard	9 46	4 22
Mount Eagle f	9 54	4 32
Curtin	10 01	4 38
Milesburg	10 12	4 48
Bellefonte	10 35	5 00
Milesburg	10 44	5 10
Snow Shoe Int.	10 46	5 14
Unionville	10 58	5 24
Julian	11 09	5 35
Martha	11 19	5 47
Port Matilda	11 27	5 56
Hannah f	11 36	6 05
Fowler f	11 39	6 08
Dix f	11 42	6 11
Bald Eagle	11 48	6 29
Vail	11 53	6 24
Arrive at Tyrone	12 05	6 37
EASTWARD	P.M.	A
Leave Tyrone	7 15	8 40
East Tyrone	7 22	8 47
Vail	7 28	8 20
Bald Eagle	7 34	8 25
Dix f	7 41	8 30
Fowler f	7 45	8 32
Hannah f	7 50	8 36
Port Matilda	8 00	8 48
Martha	8 10	8 51
Julian	8 22	8 59
Unionville	8 26	9 10
Snow Shoe Int.	8 35	9 18
Milesburg	8 39	9 22
Bellefonte	8 49	9 32
Milesburg	9 01	9 47
Curtin	9 11	10 01
Mount Eagle f	9 17	10 08
Howard	9 27	10 16
Eagleville f	9 40	10 30
Beech Creek	9 45	10 35
Mill Ha	10 01	10 50
Flemington f	10 05	10 54
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 10	11 00

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.—Time Table in effect on and after Jan. 31, 1887

Leaves Snow Shoe at 6:45 a m; arrives at Bellefonte at 8:25 a m.

Leaves Bellefonte 9.00 a m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.00 a m

Leaves Snow Shoe 3.15 p m., arrives at Bellefonte 5.29 p m

Leaves Bellefonte at 8:05 p m; arrives at Snow Shoe at 10:00 p m.

S S BLAIR, General Sup't

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE R. R.—BELLEFONTE, NITTANY AND LEMONT R. R. To take effect Jan. 31, 1887.

Dis.	Westward a.m.	Westward p.m.		Eastward a.m.	Eastward a.m.	Eastward p.m
..	..	..	MONTANDON	6 30	9 10	5 15
1.5	6 09	1 40	Ar. LEWISBURG Lv	5 20	9 00	5 05
1.5	6 05	1 40	Lv. LEWISBURG Ar	..	9 00	5 05
5.4	6 15	1 48	Biehl f	..	8 51	5 22
6.8	6 22	1 56	Vicksburg f	..	8 45	5 15
10.7	6 33	2 09	MIFFLINBURG	..	8 33	5 03
13.1	6 40	2 16	Barber f	..	8 26	4 56
15.2	6 46	2 22	Swengle f	..	8 20	4 46
16.1	6 48	2 27	Millmont	..	8 18	4 43
18.5	7 00	2 37	LAURELTON	..	8 12	4 30
23.5	7 08	2 53	Pardee f	..	7 58	4 11
24.7	7 12	3 01	Weixer f	..	7 54	4 02
28.9	7 27	3 07	Cherry Run f	..	7 45	3 58
32.2	7 35	8 17	Paddy Mt. Tunnel f	..	7 35	3 48
33.9	7 41	3 20	Fowler f	..	7 32	3 42
36.6	7 49	3 30	Coburn	..	7 23	3 30
39.6	7 56	3 40	Zerby f	..	7 15	3 23
43.4	8 10	3 50	Rising Springs	..	7 06	3 15
46.2	8 19	4 00	Penn's Cave f	..	6 58	3 07
49.2	8 27	4 07	CENTRE HALL	..	6 50	3 00
51.6	8 34	4 12	Gregg f	..	6 43	2 53
54.6	8 45	4 23	Linden Hall	..	6 36	2 45
56.7	8 52	4 27	OAK HALL	..	6 30	2 37
58.3	8 56	4 30	LEMONT	..	6 25	2 31
60.2	9 03	4 36	Dale Summit f	..	6 20	2 25
63.9	9 14	4 48	Pleasant Gap f	..	6 09	2 12
65.2	9 19	4 51	Axeman f	..	6 04	2 06
67.4	9 25	4 56	BELLEFONTE	..	6 00	2 00

CHAS E. PUGH, General Manager
ROBERT NEILSON, General Superintendent
E. B. WESTFALL, Superintendent

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table, Jan. 31, 1887.

WESTWARD.

	Mixed. P. M.	Mixed. A. M
Leave Scotia	12 15	5 00
Fairbrook	12 40	5 25
Penn'a Furnace	1 05	5 40
Hostler f	1 15	5 50
Marengo f	1 25	5 55
Loveville f	1 30	6 00
Furnace Road f	1 35	6 10
Dungarvin	1 39	6.13
Warriors Mark	1 55	6 25
Pennington	2 12	6 40
Weston Mill f	2 25	6 56
L. and T. June	2 31	6 55
Tyrone	2 35	6 59

EASTWARD.

	Mixed. P. M.	Mixed. A. M
Leave Tyrone	4 30	9 20
L. & T. June	4 34	9 25
Weston Mill f	4 40	9 [illegible]
Pennington	4 56	9 48
Warriors Mark	5 05	9 58
Dungarvin	5.17	10.09
Furnace Road f	5 20	10 12
Loveville f	5 26	10 16
Marengo f	5 30	10 22
Hostler f	5 40	10 38
Penn'a Furnace	5 50	10 44
Fairbrook	6 05	11 08
Scotia	6 25	11 30

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after Jan. 31, 1887:

WESTWARD.

ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia	11 25	p m
" " Harrisburg	3 30	a m
" " Williamsport	7 10	a m
" " Jersey Shore	7 35	a m
" " Lock Haven	7 58	a m
" " Renovo	8 50	a m
arr at Erie	4 00	p m
NIAGARA EXP. leaves Philadelphia	7 40	a m
" " Harrisburg	11 25	a m
arr. at Williamsport	2 18	p m
" " Lock Haven	3 30	p m
" " Renovo	4 30	p m
" " Kane	8 35	p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at	5 00	p m
FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia	11 50	a m
" Harrisburg	3 45	p m
" Williamsport	7 10	p m
" arr at Lock Haven	8 02	p m
" Renovo	9 00	p m
SUNDAY MAIL leaves Phil'a	4 30	a m
" " Harrisburg	7 40	a m
" " W'm'sport	10 35	a m
" " Lock Haven	11 33	a m
" arr. at Renovo	12 30	p m

EASTWARD.

Sea Shore EXPRESS leaves L. Haven	7 05	a m
" " Jer'y Sh're	7 35	a m
" " W'msp't	8 15	a m
" " arr. at Harrisb'g	11 30	a m
" " Phila'phia	3 15	p m
DAY EXP leaves Kane	6 25	a m
" " Renovo	10 20	a m
" " Lock Haven	11 15	a m
" " Williamsport	12 20	p m
" arr at Harrisburg	3 13	p m
" " Philadelphia	6 50	p m
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie	2 45	p m
" " Renovo	11 00	p m
" " Lock Haven	11 58	p m
" " Williamsport	1 25	a m
" arr at Harrisburg	4 [illegible]	a m
" " Philadelphia	8 25	a m
RENOVO ACM leaves Renovo daily	4 05	p m
" arrives at Harrisb'g	9 30	p m
" " Philadelphia	4 25	a m

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BELLEFONTE AND BUFFALO RUN RAILROAD.—To take effect Monday, Jan. 24, 1887.

EASTWARD. No. 4. P. M.	No. 2. A. M	Dis.	STATIONS.	Dis.	WESTWARD. No. 1. A. M	No. 3 P. M
7 00	9 00	18.	Ar. Bellef'te Lv	0.	6 10	4 40
6 50	8 50	14.7	...Hastings, F...	5.2	6 20	4 45
6 42	8 42	12 5	.....Hunters.....	5.5	6 25	4 58
6 39	8 39	11.2	.....Fillmore.....	6.8	6 31	5 01
6 35	8 35	10.	.....Sellers, F....	8.	6 38	5 05
6 30	8 30	8.	.....Waddles.....	10.	6 40	5 10
6 10	8 10	3.2	...Thompson, F..	14.8	7 00	5 30
6 06	8 06	2.	.....Krumrine...	16.	7 04	5 34
6 00	8 00	0	...State College...	18.	7 10	5 40

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Train 3 will connect with train West on B. E. R. R.

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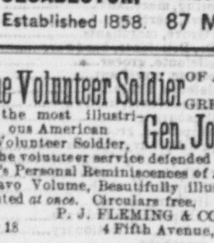

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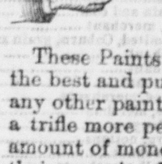

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—Rusty Kate is a very popular girl in the country in summer.

—Business men look happy and are enjoying an excellent trade.

—Several of the churches held services on Thursday—Ascension day.

—Rev. George Penepacker will deliver the Memorial address in Tyrone.

—A large band of gypsies are encamped in the woods near Linden Hall.

—J. G. Dauberman is erecting a very handsome residence in Centre Hall.

—Thomas Wait, of Rebersburg, saw a deer the other day, but did not shoot it.

—A new walk is being laid through the grounds around P. G. Meek's residence.

—The blue flag is among the most lovely blossoms now decorating the flower garden.

—Building operations, it is said, will begin within a week on the site of the burned Arcade structure.

—Pennsylvania Furnace, which has been undergoing extensive repairs, will resume operations this week.

—Samuel Shannon Post, of Centre Hall, has invited all the Sunday-schools to unite with it in celebrating Memorial day.

—Seven or eight new houses are in process of erection in the extreme northern part of the town beyond Curtin street.

—The Baltimore *Sun* sent exquisite souvenirs to all its patrons on the occasion of its recent semi-centennial anniversary.

—The new water pipes to the glass works will effect a great improvement in the supply of water for the protection of that institution.

—The officials of the Pennsylvania railroad were here on Wednesday, making a general inspection of the company's property.

—Gerberich & Hale's flouring mill building is now undergoing very extensive changes for the accommodation of the new mill machinery.

—Spring Mills will also have a game of base ball on Memorial day, the contesting nines being those of Spring Mills and Centre Hall, respectively.

—The residences and grounds in many parts of the town present a bright and attractive appearance, indicating thrift and good taste in arranging them.

—The fourteenth annual Interstate Picnic Exhibition of the Patrons of Husbandry will begin at Williams' Grove, Cumberland county, on Monday, Aug. 29.

—Mrs. William Kreamer, of Rebersburg, fell the other day while standing on a box, engaged in the work of housecleaning. She hurt herself quite seriously.

—The merchants throughout Pennsvalley met Tuesday at Millheim to organize a Merchants' Protective Association. It is to devise plans for their own business interest.

—We regret to hear that Mr. William Jenkins, who has been quite ill for a week, is still confined to his home on Linn street. We hope he will soon recover sufficiently to engage in his usual duties.

—The Philipsburg *Ledger* shows commendable boldness and spirit in its criticisms of the borough authorities of that town and demands that the rich wife-beater be arrested just as any other offender is.

—Judges Cummin, of Lycoming county, and Brown, of Warren county, will preside over the special June session of court in this place—the former during the first week and the latter during the second week.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is equipping its track foremen and the crews of the work trains with straps, climbers, pliers and vases, so that they may be ready to lend their aid in case of trouble on the wires.

—Lawn tennis is not as popular in Bellefonte as it was last summer. The fact is that Bellefonte young folks do not continue at any one thing very long at a time. Some new diversion must be introduced for their benefit.

—The act in reference to the repeal of certain scalp laws of this State has been finally passed and signed by the Governor. The only scalps upon which premiums can now be had are those of wolves and wild cats.—*Exchange.*

—Cards have been issued announcing the marriage, on Thursday, the 26th inst., of Mr. Harry F. McGirk, formerly of Lemont and now of Altoona, and Alice M. Dale, a resident of Lemont, this county. The happy affair will occur at the home of the bride.

—The Centre Hall *Reporter* showed very discriminating and correct taste in its judgment of men when it remarked: "Attorney Clem Dale was in town the the other day attending to legal bus, Clem is one of the snatliest looking lawyers at the Centre county bar, and gaining a lucrative practice."

THE STATE COLLEGE.

A Splendid Appropriation for Centre County's Great Educational Institution.

On Thursday the appropriation for the State College was passed by the Legislature, and it is larger than the sum at first anticipated by the College authorities. The entire provisions of the bill give to the College the sum of $112,000, $100,000 of which will be available at once. We believe that not more than $70,000 was asked for, but the Senatorial committee, which visited the College a couple of months ago, was more thoroughly convinced of the merits and needs of this institution than of any other which they visited, and recommended that even more than was asked for be granted. The committee was unanimous on this point, a full report of their visit and its results being given in this paper at the time. We copy the several items of appropriations which the bill provides:

For the purpose of erecting and fitting up a building for the department of chemistry and physics in said college the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars and for the purpose of supplying the same with the necessary apparatus and equipment the further sum of five thousand dollars.

For the purpose of erecting and fitting up a green-house and botanical laboratory for the horticultural department in said College the sum of five thousand dollars.

For the purpose of erecting one dwelling house for the military instructor of said college the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars.

For the purpose of increasing insurance and making necessary repairs on the main college building, including a fire-proof safe and vault for the preservation of records and for repairs on other buildings actually and necessarily used in the proper work of said college, the sum of five thousand dollars.

For the purpose of introducing gas into the laboratories and other college buildings the sum of five thousand dollars.

For the purchase of machinery and instruments for the departments of mechanic arts, mechanical engineering and civil engineering in said college, the sum of eight thousand dollars.

For the purchase of agricultural, scientific, tecunical and other books for the library of said college, the sum of three thousand dollars.

For the purchase of models and casts for instruction in industrial art, the sum of one thousand and five hundred dollars.

Section 2.—That there is hereby appropriatad as aforesaid for the purpose of increasing at the said State College the work of an agricultural experiment station as now conducted there and publishing for distribution among the farmers of the State results of such work, the sum of three thousand dollars each year for four years, to be paid as aforesaid in equal quarterly payments, beginning on the first day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Since the bill was first framed amendments have been added to it, appropriating $20,000 for an Armory Hall and an Assembly room, $5,000 added for repairs and $5,000 for residences for two of the professors. The appropriation may be summarized as follows:

For chemistry building	$ 35 000
Equipment for same	5 000
Green house	5 000
Three dwelling houses, each	$2 500 — 7 500
For repairs, in all	10 000
Introducing gas	5 000
Machine and apparatus	8 000
Text books	3 000
Models and casts	1 500
Armory Hall	20 000
Total	$100 000
Experimental station, $3,000 per year for four years	12 000
Grand Total	112 000

With such financial encouragement the people of the State will soon have reason to be proud of their College. While similar institutions in other States have received large appropriations. Pennsylvania's College has been almost neglected and we are glad that it now has more adequate means to pursue its educational aims. Of course, the bill was at once signed by the Governor.

Heirs to a Fortune.

A gentleman named Charles Estabrood has been making investigations relative to the number of heirs in this country to a fortune of $75,000,000. It appears that in the sixteenth century Queen Elizabeth of England appointed the Rev. Edwin Sandys as one of the translators of the Bible from the Greek, and in return for earnest work done made him Archbishop of York. He possessed considerable property, which descended by heritage to Captain James Sandys. He came to America and his estate was confiscated by the English crown and so remained until a few years ago, when Parliament passed a bill deeding back to "legal heirs of the Archbishop" the confiscated estate, which is now $75,000,000. Meantime, the name of Sandys, on this side of the ocean, has been changed to Sands. Mr. Esterbrood is in possession of the names of 1800 descendants of the Captain, and receives many letters asking for information. He will probably publish the genealogy of the Sands family in book form. The name is represented in Bellefonte. Wonder if any of the fortune will come this way?

High Priced Coffee.

All who purchase coffee have noticed that it is rapidly increasing in price. The reason for this is given by the Lancaster *New Era* which remarks that importers and dealers are not a little concerned as to the future of this indispensable article of consumption among the people. Since the first of March the wholesale price of the best known varieties has risen fully three cents per pound, and is still advancing steadily. All this is said to be the result of the failure of the crop of Rio, which is about ripening. The last year's crop in Brazil was about a million bags short, while the present one will fall two million bags short of that one. Several years ago it was believed the price must continue low, because many hundreds of thousands of young trees have been set out every year in Brazil, which in time will pour their product into the market. But these calculations have been set at naught by a severe drouth, which seems to have spread over the entire coffee producing provinces of Brazil. In Java a leaf disease is also reported, which will very materially cut off the usual supply from that country. On the whole, therefore, coffee drinkers well may expect the price of the mildly narcotic berry to increase. Speculation is also rife and the market is swept by shrewd dealers of all the coffee offered for sale, which tends still further to stiffen prices. Under high prices consumption will naturally fall off, and this most probably will serve to keep prices from going as high as they otherwise would. Your true coffee drinker, however, will have his brown decoction, let the price be what it may.

Four Successive Crops of Timothy.

The Centre Hall *Reporter* contains the following valuable agricultural information:

Farmers, we believe, have an idea that timothy exhausts the soil and makes it poor. James Gilliland, of Oak Hall, has made a test of the matter, and his experience is that this idea is not correct. Three years ago he took two tons of timothy, with some clover among it, from an acres of ground. The next year he mowed two and a half tons of timothy per acre, from the same ground, with quite a small quantity of clover; last year the clover had run out and he took three tons of timothy to the acre from the same ground, and this year, the fourth, Mr. Gilliland finds the prospect for as good a crop as last year. Now other farmers can try this, and if it holds good, there will be more in a crop of timothy than in a crop of wheat, even when wheat is a full crop.

Mr. Gilliland, last week, also shipped the first car load of baled hay from this county to Philadelphia, where it netted him $10 per ton. Here is another important item which every farmer should note.

Grange Meeting.

Centre County Pomona Grange, No. 18, P. of H., will meet in the hall of Progress Grange on Friday, June 3, at 10 o'clock a. m. The following programme has been arranged:

Address of welcome to county grange, Worthy Master J. A. Keller. Response for county grange, Worthy Lecturer J. F. Weaver. Miscellaneous business, Music. Essay by Sister Osman, Music.

Afternoon Session—Reports of committees. Report of secretary of insurance company. Miscellaneous business. Music. How can we make our farms pay? To be opened by Brother S. B. Leathers and I. I. Anney, and followed by five-minute talks. Music. The mission of the rural home, essay by Sister Brown, of Victor Grange. All fourth degree members are cordially invited to attend. Arrangements will be made at this meeting in regard to our picnic. The fifth degree will be conferred in full form in the evening.

Jas. A. Keller, Master,
Jas. C. Gilliland, Sec'y.

—From the Clearfield *Journal:* "Harry Hooven, a boy about 15 years of age, while engaged in whitewashing the wood work about Fawerweather & Ladew's tannery, had his clothes caught in the line shaft which runs from the engine house to the yard house, and he was whirled round and round until both legs and one arm were broken by being beaten over the timbers. His life was saved by his catching hold of the shaft and thus keeping his head from striking. The shaft was making sixty revolutions a minute, and at least a minute must have elapsed after his cries were heard until the engine could be stopped. He must have been a boy of extraordinary vitality, or he would certainly have been killed. His limbs were set by Doctors Burchfield and Stewart and he shows encouraging signs of recovery. While the severe operation was being performed he told the doctors to bind them up tight as he didn't want to be a cripple."

—The inspection of Company B, N. G., will take place next Monday at 1 o'clock. The inspection officers will make a thorough examination of the clothing, arms, equipments and State property. Also the care and the expenditure of the funds received from the State, and receive from the treasurer of each company a certified memorandum of cash balances on hand. The armories, company books and report of ammunition in hand will also be examined.

Reunion at Brookville.

At a meeting of the committee to arrange for the next annual reunion of companies E, I and K, 148th Pa. Vols, held on Friday evening last, it was decided to invite all the survivors of said companies and others of the regiment who can possibly do so, to be present and participate in our gathering at Brookville, Pa., on Thursday, June 16th next, assuring for them a hearty reception and cordial welcome.

A programme of exercises will be completed in a short time and sent to comrades as far as their addresses are known. A postal card from comrades giving name and present address, and stating whether they expect to be present or not, sent to the undersigned secretary of the committee, at Brookville, Pa., will be gratefully received and duly appreciated.

J. E. Hall, Secretary.

—The conductor who runs the mail train on the Pennsylvania railroad from Altoona to Pittsburg had a very narrow escape from being shot the other day. A man whose name could not be learned but who was evidently under the influence of liquor, got on the train at Johnstown and forgot to buy a ticket. When the conductor started to collect the tickets the fellow referred to had none, and was obliged to put up the cash. He pulled out a $20 bill and handed it to the conductor. The latter said: "I will return with your change in a few minutes," and started to walk through the train. "No you don't, you —— ——," said the man in question, "give me my change here or I'll kill you where you stand." With that he pulled out a 32-calibre, self-cocking revolver, and was about to send a ball through the conductor when the brakeman grabbed the man and took the revolver from him. He was then put off the train.—Altoona *Times.*

—The Democratic papers are making numerous announcements of gentlemen who desire to fill the county offices, among them a few for commissioner. We hardly consider it necessary for any new candidates to announce themselves for that office as the present board of county commissioners is so excellent that we are in favor of retaining it. When a public servant is faithful it is always advisable to retain him, and no three gentlemen in the county could do more or better work in its interest than has been done by Messrs. Griest, Wolf and Henderson.

Letter List.

Following is a complete list of the letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Bellefonte, Centre county, May 16, 1887:

Robert Bowen, Alliance Christian, Miss Julia Cook, Milton Endy, Hall & Nelson, Jacob F. Hazel, Frank McDonald, Miss Bridget McCormick, Miss Ann Eliza Parker, W. H. Thomas, L. D. Thorp, Wm. Thomas.

When a letter is asked for please say advertised.

Jas. H. Dobbins, P. M.

—Ladies who make rhubarb pie find that their greatest difficulty is to put enough sugar in it to sweeten it. We recently heard how a minister's wife conquers this difficulty and succeeds admirably in compounding excellent pies. She puts in all the sugar that her conscience will permit her to, after which she mechanically takes a tablespoonful of sugar, holds it over the pie, shuts her eyes and lets the sugar fall into it. Then she is sure the pie will be sweet enough, and she is happy the rest of the day.

—The following from the New York *World* may have some local interest: "The Giants had some ginger in them yesterday. Johnnie Ward gave Umpire Quest an argument about the scoring of the first run for Indianapolis when it was scored on the play that made the third man out. Joe rightly ruled against him, but the little "kick" showed that Johnnie was hustling for all he was worth."

—The Equitable Beneficial Society of Reading, which was organized about four years ago for the purpose of promoting marriages among its members, is now bankrupt clean and clear, and its too-confiding patrons find themselves out of pocket to the extent of $25,000, or more. It did not require much "promoting" to induce all its members to marry.

—A thousand laborers will leave Pittsburgh the latter part of this week and the first of the week following for Northern Michigan, where they will find employment on the new Duluth, Atlantic and Sault Ste Marie Railroad, to be built from the town of Ste Marie to Duluth.

—Mr. Harry Yerger had one of his fingers very painfully squeezed on Wednesday in a rope and pulley apparatus, the motive power of which was a team of horses. The aforesaid finger was "black and blue" next day in consequence.

—The freight train which left this place over the Bellefonte, Lemont and Nittany Valley Railroad on Thursday collided with another freight train at Laurelton. We understand that no one was injured.

—At noon Thursday we heard about a half-dozen explosions that echoed beautifully among the hills. As we have heard of no accidents of any kind, we suppose some one was blasting rocks.

Hand Crushed.

D. P. Stephens, of Philipsburg, employed as a brakeman on Moshannon Branch coal train of which Mr. VanScoyoc is conductor, while coupling cars near Eureka colliery, Tuesday morning, May 17, had his right hand badly crushed by getting it between the draw heads. Dr. Todd, the Railroad Co's surgeon at Houtzdale, dressed the hand, and we are informed by him that the thick part of hand was cut entirely through, severing the leaders of the large finger.—*Osceola Reveille.*

A Syndicate Boom.

The syndicate of Spangler, Hamill and Reber has special cause to exult because of the appropriation of $112,000 given by the State to the State College. They know that it will boom not only the the College, but also all the property in that section, and as they are largely interested in the development of real estate in that locality it will help along their interests wonderfully. If you want to know how it is just ask them the price of building lots at State College.

Two Deaths.

On Sunday, the 8th inst., Mrs. Catharine Dunlap, mother of Mr. Dunlap, the postmaster at Pine Grove Mills, died from the effects of a cancer on her face. She was 64 years of age.

Mrs. Sue Reed, a very aged resident of the same place, died on Friday, May 13. She was the wife of David Reed. One week before her death she was stricken with apoplexy, and her death was caused by that disease. Her age was 94 years, 3 months and 15 days.

—There is a prospect that the Penn cave property will pass into the possession of the Pennsylvania railroad, and should that event occur the beautiful cave will be boomed into prominence and celebrity. It requires an outlay of money to render not only the cave but also the surroundings sufficiently beautiful and attractive to vie with the Laray caves of Virginia. The railroad company would, of course, understand the best way to do this.

—The state conventions of the Eastern and Western divisions of the Sons of Veterans, of Pennsylvania, will be held at Altoona on Monday, June 13th, where it is probable that the two state camps will be consolidated into one. Past Captain W. C. Reem has charge of the arrangements, which is a guarantee that everything will be provided for the accommodation and entertainment of the delegates.

—The new Coronet Hook and Ladder truck seems to be too beautiful for use. The upper part of the truck and the ladders are finished in a delicate cream color with trimmings of red. The words "Coronet No. 1" appear on each ladder. We have no doubt it is about the handsomest apparatus of the kind ever manufactured and the Coronet Company will take great pleasure in keeping it in excellent condition.

—The appropriation of $60,000 for furnishing the Huntingdon Industrial Reformatory passed the senate finally on Tuesday, the 17th. The bill provides $15,000 for the industrial building, $13,500 for salaries, $6,500 for beds and bedding, $6,000 for light and fuel, $5,000 for warden's building, $5,500 for equipping school rooms, etc.

—Mr. S. R. Stover, who has been confined to the house for several months, died at midnight on Wednesday, the 18th, in Mill Hall, aged 68 years. He leaves a widow, but no children—the latter all being dead. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at one o'clock; interment in Cedar Hill cemetery.

—In reading the Philipsburg *Journal* we are more pleased with it now than ever before. The articles on important subjects which it contains are written in a smooth, readable style and are graphic and complete. Wonder if W. F. Bair is doing all the literary work on the *Journal*?

—Mr. D. I. Bachman, the gentlemanly and agreeable manager for the Centre Mining Company at Pennsylvania Furnace, is to be married on Thursday, the 26th inst., to Miss Webster, of Mt. Pleasant, Pa. Here's our congratulations and best wishes.

—James Antis, Sr., an aged resident of Mt. Eagle, died at his home in that place on Friday night at ten o'clock. The funeral was held on Sunday at 2 o'clock p. m. The interment was in Curtin's cemetery.

—On Thursday evening at 5 o'clock, Fred Richardson, a highly respected citizen of West Huntingdon, was killed while crossing the railroad at Seventh street, that place.

—Mrs. Mary Cryer, wife of Samuel Cryer, living near Philipsburg, was the victim of a runaway accident a few days ago which caused her death.

—There was a very extensive collision on Friday afternoon near Lewisburg, several cars being thrown from the track.

—The Gypsies have taken Milesburg by storm. Twenty-three wagon loads of them are encamped at that place.

—On the 1st day of June Judge Chester Munson, of Philipsburg, will be 72 years of age.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do are ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure that you get the genuine, it is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle.

—The largest ladder connected with the new Coronet truck is about seventy feet in length. It will reach about ten feet above the highest building in town. The ladder can be raised and adjusted with ease, and in the event of a great fire would furnish unexcelled opportunities for the boys to prove themselves gallant. Just imagine a handsome young lady helplessly looking from a third story window while the flames are roaring around her, and then imagine the applause when the bravest of the Coronet knights carries her, fainting, in his arms safely down the ladder to *terra firma.*

—The Zion Cornet band tendered a special and unusually sweet serenade to the Roman Catholic fair, on Friday evening. The members of the band, inspired by the unusual attractions at that place, performed with more than ordinary skill. It is unnecessary to say that their serenade was greatly appreciated by the numerous fair maidens who preside at the fair as well as by the many people who filled the building at the time.

—In the spring the birds are mated;
In the spring the flowers bloom;
And the house is renovated
With the scrub brush and the broom.
In the spring we hunt the crocus
And the sweet arbutus vine,
While our wives play hocuspocus
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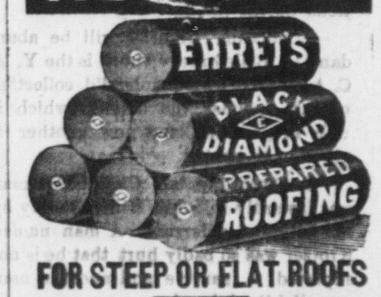

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Local Department.

—The days are 14 hours and 30 minutes in length.

—The Knights Templar are holding a demonstration in Philadelphia.

—Company B, N. G., will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the Rink on Saturday evening.

—A. C. Rankin, the temperance lecturer, is now talking on that subject in Newberry, Lycoming county.

—The policemen have not yet received the new uniforms and don't present a very creditable appearance.

—Red-top boots that ran to the fire on Tuesday afternoon are said to belong to the Logan Hose Company.

—The plentiful shower of rain which fell on Tuesday afternoon will be worth thousands of dollars to this community.

—The Altoona *Sunday Morning* is to receive an expressive addition to its title. Henceforth it will be known as *Sunday Morning Graphic*.

—The wild honeysuckle is among the flowers brought to town most numerously at present, and it is as pretty as it is possible to imagine.

—Mr. and Mrs. Canfield, who live near Philadelphia, are mourning the death of an infant child. Mrs. Canfield was formerly Miss Jennie Orvis.

—The earnings of the principal railroads for April, 1887, were $2,374,899 greater than the same month of 1886. The Inter-state law pays the railroads.

—That rain on Tuesday afternoon was very opportune, and was drank in by thirsty soil and vegetation with an avidity which showed how greatly it was needed.

—All the arrangements for Memorial day are completed. Markers for the grave of every soldier have been printed and no soldier's grave will go undecorated.

—A horse fell down near Brown's coal office Tuesday morning and created some excitement. The animal was soon elevated again on "all fours" and the excitement subsided.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Miles, of Milesburg, will give a reception to their son, Oscar E. Miles, and his bride on their return from their wedding trip next Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

—Trinity M. E. church, in Lock Haven, has been repaired in very elegant style and was re-opened on Sunday last. More than $3,000 was raised by subscriptions during the morning service.

—Circulating libraries will be abundant in Bellefonte. There is the Y. M. C. A. library, with a splendid collection of 1100 volumes, the cost of which is only $1 per year, and now another is about to be started.

—On Saturday last Charles Harman was instantly killed in Mifflin county by the falling of a derrick. A man named Krotzer was so badly hurt that he is not expected to survive and another man was slightly injured.

—"Who's rented that house?" asked a gentleman on Saturday evening who saw a bevy of young ladies clustered around the entrance to the Hale mansion on Allegheny street. It has been occupied since Tuesday and succeeding days by the bazaar of all nations. Call and see it.

—A Lock Haven man in Bellefonte eat a slice of sponge cake at the hotel. He considered it delicious and being told that it is the most healthful cake that can be eaten he went to a drug store and purchased a couple of sponges, taking them along with him to Lock Haven for his wife to make sponge cake of.

—Rev. Geo. S. Chambers, D. D., pastor of the Pine street church in Harrisburg, the church attended by Governor Beaver, will preach in the Presbyterian church, this place, next Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. Dr. Laurie, pastor of the church here, will preach in Dr. Chambers' church in Harrisburg.

—Peter McMahon, the shoemaker, has moved from the Diamond to the corner of Spring and Logan streets. He is one of the best workmen in Bellefonte and does all kinds of repairing very neatly. His many customers will find him at his new location and all who want better shoes or boots should call on him.

—Mr. Wm. Burnside, of Fairbanks Scale Co., has just had erected for Messrs. Collins Bros. on the B. & B. R. R. at their furnace, one of Fairbanks Standard Railroad track scales,—capacity 50 tons. The superiority of these scales are so well known to railroad, iron and coal men that they are now in general use throughout the civilized world.

—"Heavenly hash" is something new that has recently appeared on southern bills-of-fare, but bears no relation whatever to the traditional hash of the ordinary boarding house. It is made of a number of fruits cut up fine, sprinkled with sugar and nutmeg, and placed inside of a scooped out orange, into which a little wine is also added, and the whole thing then frozen. It is a sort of a hash that would certainly be heavenly on a hot day.

AT SPOTTSYLVANIA.

THE VISIT OF A CITIZEN OF CENTRE COUNTY TO THE HISTORIC BATTLE FIELD.

Thinking that perhaps the readers of your paper who were members of the old 6th corps, Army of the Potomac, would like to read something of the trip of some of the survivors of the corps to Spottsylvania Court House, Va., and the ceremonies attending the dedication of the monument recently erected by the corps on the spot where their lamented commander, Gen. Jno. Sedgwick, fell, I will try to give them some of the particulars. The special train conveying the excursionists (306 in number) left Philadelphia on Wednesday morning May 11, at 7.30 a. m., and reached Fredricksburg, Va., (via. Baltimore and Washington) at 2 p. m.

We were joined at Washington, D. C., by Major Gen'l H. G. Wright, U. S. A., who succeded Gen'l Sedgwick in command of the corps, and also Gen'l Gettig, U. S. A., one of our division commanders. On our arrival at Fredricksburg, Va., we were received at the depot by the Eagle Cornet Band of that city, the Fredricksburg Grays, the mayor of the city, a delegation of ex-confederate soldiers, and many private citizens, who escorted us to the hotel, where an address of welcome was delivered by the mayor of the city. Our reception was quite of a different sort to the one received from the same city twenty-four years ago. After dinner we were provided with conveyances to carry us over the battle fields in the vicinity of the town. We found a great many places which look very familiar to us—especially the heights back of the town, the river crossing where the 6th corps crossed under Franklin in December, 1862, and also under Hooker in 1863; also the Stafford Heights north of the town where our camps were located during the winter of 1862 and 1863.

We returned to the city for supper, after which the camp fire was lighted at the Court House and the evening was spent very pleasantly listening to addresses by the comrades—such as Gov. Ormoly, of Vermont; ex-Gov. Pingree, of Vermont; Gen. Latta, of Philadelphia; Col. Cowan, of the artillery of 6th corps; Col. Harris, 6th Maine Volunteers, the Adjutant General of the State of New Jersey, the Colonel of the 121st N. Y. Vols., and many others, including Col. Smith, late member of the staff of Stonewall Jackson, and the editor of one of the Fredricksburg papers.

Thursday morning, May 12, found us at 8 o'clock in carriages and spring wagons on our way to the battle fields in and around Spottsylvania Court House (12 miles from Fredricksburg). On our route we passed Salem church, a place never to be forgotten by the 6th corps, as it was there that the corps came so near being surrounded by the army of Northern Virginia, at the time the balance of the army under Gen'l Hooker retreated from Chancelorsville. The retreat left all of Lee's army free to turn their whole attention to our corps, which they did, and we escaped only by persistent fighting until dark, when we made our escape to Banks Ford and across the river.

The country around Salem church presents very much the same appearance as when we were there in 1863.

We arrived at the Spottsylvania battlefield about 10 a. m., when the monument was unveiled by Gen'l Gettig, Col. Orr and others. The meeting was presided over by Gen'l Wright and was opened with a very appropriate prayer by Rev. I. N. Ritner, late Captain 49th P. V. The memorial address was delivered by Gen'l Latta, of Philadelphia, and benediction pronounced by Rev. Smith, C. S. A.

Next in order was dinner, which was served on the ground by Capt. Ashly, of Spottsylvania Court House, and the remainder of the day was spent in visiting the different points of interest in the vicinity, especially the bloody angle where the 6th corps lost so many of its members on May 10, 1863, and also the 2d corps May 12, 1863. The appearance of the field at this point is very much changed, so much so that it is scarcely recognizable. When the Upton charge of the 6th corps was made, May 10, it was an open field; now it is all grown up with pine trees from 8 to 12 inches in diameter. There are still many signs of the terrible conflict visible—the woods are still strewn with parts of guns, pieces of canteens, cartridge boxes, minny balls, pieces of shells, etc., and the older trees are all scarred up with balls and cannon shot. The earth works are still plainly visible, but have crumbled down considerable.

Evening found us all safely at our headquarters at Fredericksburg, where we again spent the night and started north next morning at 7:30. We arrived at Washington about 10 a. m. and remained there until 4 p. m. On our way north from Fredericksburg to Washington a dispatch was received from the President that he would receive us at the White House at 1:30 p. m., at which time we were promptly on hand. Headed by our old commander, General Wright, we were received by His Excellency in a neat little speech, and after he had shaken us by the hand we took our departure, leaving the National Capital at 4 p. m. and arriving in Philadelphia at 7 the same evening, very much pleased with our trip to Dixey. 49TH P. V.

What a Young Lady Can Do.

Miss Mollie Campbell is a sister of ex-Commissioner Henry C. Campbell and is now visiting at her brother's home at Rock Springs, this county. Miss Campbell, though not possessing the most robust health at present, is a young lady of great enterprise and energy—having in a more than ordinary degree the qualifications of American young ladies which enable them to take care of themselves and oftentimes to help forward the progress of our great country. Several years ago Miss Mollie went to the West. Horace Greeley (of blessed memory), could he have looked forward to our heroinie's career, would have amended or prefixed his celebrated and inspiring sentence: "Young man, go West,' with the words, "Young lady." Miss Mollie did go toward the setting sun, but stopped in Kansas, a few miles this side of where the sun really does set, and, in company with three other equally brave maidens—two from Chicago and one from Eastern Kansas—lived for some time in a dugout, until a village sprang up in the limitless expanse of prairie. The place was named Tribune (here again we see the spirit of the immortal Horace), and the young ladies built for themselves a home. Miss Mollie secured for herself a tree claim and a pre-emption claim, and in due course of time became postmistress of the town of Tribune, which office she now fills with great ability. An illness, somewhat in the nature of a paralytic stroke, afflicted her and she came to her native home to rest. Some loquacious scribe wrote to the *Democratic Watchman* that Miss Campbell is weary of the West and henceforth will make her home in Centre county. Miss Campbell authorizes us to contradict any such incorrect inference. She admires the West and will return there soon. Meanwhile, she is recovering her health and ere she again departs for Kansas she expects to visit relatives in Bellefonte.

A Narrow Escape.

A special to the Altoona *Tribune* from Huntingdon says that Elder John Shultzaberger and wife, of near Alexandria, who had been attending the sessions of the Reformed classis in that place met with a thrilling adventure on Monday, that narrowly escaped terminating in the death of both. After reaching the fording place at the Juniata river a short distance above Alexandria they signaled a young girl on the opposite shore to bring a boat to their assistance. This accomplished the two started for the opposite shore, but before reaching the middle of the stream the boat, which was a very frail craft, was capsized and the occupants precipitated into the water. The river at this point is dangerously deep.

Mrs. Shultzaberger, who was encumbered with her heavy clothes, sank three times before her husband could afford her succor, but finally he succeeded in reaching the shore with his wife who was insensible. The young girl clung to the upturned boat and was rescued with little difficulty. Mrs. Shultzaberger remained unconscious for a considerable time, and is now lying at home greatly prostrated.

The Closing Week.

The fair under the auspices of the Roman Catholic church, on Bishop street, has continued since Saturday evening, the 14th, and has been eminently successful. The fair is a very attractive place and has been attended generally by our people. The young ladies who preside over it are earnest and diligent in their efforts to please all who call and afford them an opportunity to inspect the fine array of lovely articles exhibited. Now, that the closing week has arrived, the desire to get possession of the really useful articles is greater than ever. We can not mention the articles of minor importance, but the supurb organ and the valuable and elegant solid cherry suite are irresistible attractions, and the person who secures either one will be very fortunate. Then, it is really a treat to go inside the great edifice where the fair is held. It is cool, large and inviting. Refreshments constantly on hand. The proceeds will be used toward the completion of the church edifice, which will be an ornament to the town. This is the closing week. Go this evening.

Houtzdale in Danger.

The town of Houtzdale is threatened with destruction by fire. The news to that effect came to us Monday morning through the Altoona *Tribune* and also through private advices to gentlemen interested in business near Houtzdale. The fire, it is said, started in the woods near Berwind, White & Co's collieries and burned between that place and Houtzdale. About thirty dwellings of miners were destroyed. Assistance was sent for to Altoona and Tyrone, and the latest reports say that the fire is under control.

Reunion of the Fifty-Sixth.

The 56th Regiment P. V. V. will hold its First Reunion at Gettysburg Tuesday, the 12th of July. House and place of meeting given later. Survivors of the regiment, whether they expect to be present at the re-union or not, are requested to send their address to J. M. Stoever (late Hospital Steward) Chester, Pa., at once. Fall in, 56th.

There are about 60 members of the 56th in Centre county.

BURNED TO DEATH.

THE TERRIBLE ACCIDENT AT HOWARD ON FRIDAY.

At noon on Friday last Maggie Graydon, a 15-year-old girl living with the family of William Long, of the firm of W. H. Long & Co., at Howard, was so terribly burned that she lived only twenty-four hours afterwards. Maggie was the daughter of Mr. John Graydon. She went to the cook stove to start a fire. She did not know that there was any fire in the stove and accordingly she poured some kerosene oil on it from a glass can. The sparks of fire in the stove set fire to the stream of oil and it ran like a flash up the the stream, bursting the can and throwing a flood of fire all over Maggie's person. She ran out of the house screaming for aid. Mr. R. Lucas, of that place, was working on a roof near by. He came to her assistance and quickly did what he could, wrapping her in blankets and throwing her to the ground.

She lived in agony until Saturday, dying about 12 o'clock. The funeral occurred on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

—It came to pass that on Saturday at noon the Bellefonte base ball nine went to the State College to try a game with the nine at that institution. Their visit there was a hasty one. The Philipsburg nine had made an engagement to play there that afternoon and something happened to keep the Philipsburgers at home. So the Bellefonte ball tossers went to the College to take their place. They have not practiced any together, and as there is no other nine hereabouts to practice with, they concluded that the game at State College would give them an opportunity to see how they could handle the sphere and willow. They found an excellent nine at the College—indeed, so excellent that there seems to be about eighteen of them. Crider pitched for the Bellefonters and Walter Stewart caught, and we are told that Mr. Stewart played an excellent game. James R. Hughes umpired and at the conclusion the score stood 15 to 4 in favor of State College. Despite the fact of so bad a defeat, it is evident that the Bellefonte nine is made of good material. The State College nine has all the advantage of daily practice, which "our boys" seldom get. They report that they were well treated at the College and have reason to be pleased with the courtesy shown them. It is possible that on Memorial day the College club will play a return game here. Our boys believe that if the game does take place they can play with better results.

—Mr. J. G. Heberling is a resident of Pine Grove Mills. He is a practical cabinet maker and undertaker. Perhaps you have seen some pretty fine furniture, but surely none more substantial and elegant than that manufactured by Mr. Heberling. Perhaps, too, when your friends died you wept for a few minutes and then ordered for them the best coffin that could be produced. But you never ordered a better casket, or one "higher up" in points of superior workmanship than Mr. Heberling can manufacture. This gentleman is now doing a very extensive business at Pine Grove Mills. He wants all the people of that locality to have their homes handsomely furnished with the productions of his skill. This will make them live long and be happy. So, he will work directly against one part of his own business interests in lengthening out their natural lives. He wants every resident of that section to live to be more than one hundred years old. But death, with all his gloomy terrors, must come and then if the inanimate clay can repose in a substantial and elegant casket, the friends will be comforted. With this platform of policy to stand on he says come to me to beautify your earthly homes or to provide a home for the body after dissolution.

—Among the individuals in this county whose work speaks volumes for their ability in a certain line may be mentioned Mr. Reuben A. Houser, of Houserville. In what has he distinguished himself? our readers may ask. We reply: In fence building, which, when we come to consider the number of fences in this county, is of much importance. If you desire a practical proof of what we say, visit the vicinity of State College and look at the substantial post and rail fence between that institution and the Experimental Farm. It was constructed by Mr. Houser and, in the language of the garden and the wild wood,—it is a star-eyed daisy. Or, in the language of the more practical people, who don't care for "daisy" fences, it is a model of neatness and strength. Now, Mr. Houser is willing to build other fences just like it for a reasonable money consideration, and invites a call, an inspection and an order.

No Jurors Needed.

Court will call on Monday, the 13th day of June, but the attendance of jurors summoned for that week will not be required, as all the important cases except one have been settled and that will come up the following week. The jurors summoned for the first week will please remember this.

The jurors summoned for the second week, beginning Monday, the 20th, will be required to attend. Judge Cummin, of Lycoming county, will preside.

Personal Pencilings.

W. E. Gray, Esq., spent the Sabbath at his home in Fillmore.

Judge Furst came home on Thursday afternoon in the 5 o'clock train.

Mr. Joe Montgomery, who is now located in Howard, spent Sunday at the county seat.

Rev. W. H. H. Snyder is attending the meeting of the Reformed classis now in session at Adamsburg.

W. Fred Reynolds represented Constans Commandery, K. T., at the grand conclave in Philadelphia.

J. L. Spangler, Esq., visited Harrisburg on Thursday to help the legislature adjourn with due decorum.

Hon. R. Milton Speer and his daughter, Miss Mary, of Huntingdon, will sail soon for Europe to spend the summer.

Dr. Tobin, of Stormstown, and George W. Lyon, of Pennsylvania Furnace, arrived in town on the morning train, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dayton, of Williamsport, passed through Bellefonte on Wednesday afternoon, en route for the West.

Ex Gov. A. G. Curtin is now at home and he and his family are now occupying their pleasant residence on High street.

Mr. Harvey Hile, now holding a responsible position at the Juniata mines, was in town on Saturday, to remain until Monday.

Mr. Harvey Hile went to Juniata Mines on Tuesday after remaining here since Saturday. He is much pleased with his new position.

It seems to us that W. E. Gray, Esq., is going to make more than his proper proportion of speeches on Memorial day. He is booked for three thus far.

Col. Frank Pattison, the inspecting officer of the Second Brigade, N. G. Pa., was in town and at 1 o'clock on Monday conducted the inspection of Company B in the Rink.

Mr. Isaac Mitchell and Mr. J. V. Thomas departed on Monday for a trip to the West. They will attend to business in the West connected with valuable lands owned by Mr. Thomas.

Miss Annie McCaffrey's private school in the public school building began on Wednesday. Miss Annie is a favorite teacher and every year has a large number of pupils at her summer school.

Four young ladies brightened the office of this paper Wednesday. They were Miss Addie Condo and Miss Ella Fredricks, of Boalsburg, and Misses Emma and Ellie Johnson, of this place.

Mr. Harry Keller, of Harrisburg, appeared in Bellefonte on Monday. He is one of the principal clerks in Adjutant General Hastings' office and is a very good representative of Bellefonte at the State Capital.

Geo. W. Pooler arrived in Bellefonte Wednesday to perform the wedding march for the Meyer-McCalmont wedding. Mr. Pooler now resides in Greensburg, Pa., and was formerly a clerk in F. Potts Green's drug store.

Mr. Philip Vonada, of Somerset county, was in town Wednesday. He is a native of Zion, this county, where his parents live. He has recently been admitted to the legal fraternity in Somerset county, and is a full-fledged lawyer. We wish him success in his profession.

A Fire on Tuesday Afternoon.

An alarm of fire rang forth on the air on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. It was aided by the piercing shrieks of two steam whistles. The smoke from what was feared to be a large conflagration was seen ascending from the southern part of the town. The rain was falling quite briskly at the time. A very large number of people run in that direction and it was found to proceed from a barn belonging to the Valentine estate and located on the hill near the furnace. The building was quickly consumed.

The origin of the fire is not certainly known. Children, who were playing near it, might have been using matches and it possibly originated in that way. It was new and quite valuable—worth about $1500. A large stock of hay was usually kept in it, but it was almost empty at the time. A dwelling house near by would have been burned, but for the brisk shower of rain prevailing. We understand that there was a small insurance.

—Two deaths of children have occurred in this community since the REPUBLICAN of last week was published. An infant child of Jacob Showers, of North Allegheny St., died on Saturday night. The little one, followed by a funeral cortege, was taken to Pleasant Gap at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon for interment. Grace, a daughter of Joseph Holter, who resides on Howard street, died on Sunday. The funeral proceeded to Curtin's Works on Tuesday morning on the 9.30 train. This is the second death in Mr. Holter's family in a very few weeks.

Be on Your Guard.

The *Daily Democrat*, of Lock Haven, remark: "Lock Haven's prominent citizens, Mr. James Wolfenden, will visit Nittany Valley Thursday or Friday. We think Mr. Wolfenden has a demoniacal intention of locating the State Capital at Hublersburg. What the people of that village ever did that he should thus act unkindly toward them we do not know."

Two Serious Accidents.

THE PARTICULARS OF WHICH, WITH OTHER EVENTS, ARE RELATED BY OUR SPRING MILLS CORRESPONDENT.

On Monday, W. R. Gray, the flagman on the construction train, was seriously injured between the iron bridge and the deep cut at this place. He was thrown under the caboose, that and two other cars passing over him. One leg was cut off below the knee, and badly mutilated above the knee. His head was also cut and bruised. He was removed to his home where Dr. Frank Van Valzah attended to his injuries.

On Thursday afternoon, while the force on the construction train was at work unloading dirt from the cars at a point between Pardees and Laurelton, known as the big curve, the train was run into by the freight train coming from the west. Fred. Gray, the boss of the construction force, had sent John Foster to flag the on-coming train, but it seems that the engineer did not see the flag and came sweeping around the curve at unchecked speed. The moving train could not be stopped in time. It crashed into the construction engine, both locomotives and one dump car being wrecked. The engines are numbers 2036 and 2054. The other cars were not damaged. Engine No. 2036 was engineered by Tom Hewitt and No. 2054 by Mr. Neihart. Only one man, George Bartley, was hurt and he suffered only a sprained leg. Very exaggerated reports of the accident were brought to town.

Prof. Krise and his son George have been to Lock Haven to see the Professor's son, Warren, who is attending the Normal school at that place. He brings back good news of his son's progress.

William Allison is putting up a wind pump on his property above the churches.

Maurice Beatty, a lad of five summers, while fishing near his father's house, captured a "sucker" 15½ inches long.

Dannie Runkle, after officiating for awhile as proprietor of Penn Cave, has returned home. He does not like the work.

Joseph Alters has moved to Dan Runkle's farm and will stay there till next Spring, if nothing happens that will induce him to move.

The C. C. B. gave the citizens a serenade on Tuesday of last week. The band will have ice cream to sell every Saturday night and on the evening of Memorial day (Monday). EGO.

All for $1.

Can it be that there are persons in Bellefonte who do not know the advantages offered by the Y. M. C. A. of this place? Sometimes we believe there are and for that reason will explain such as occur to our mind. The association is located quite pleasantly on the second floor of the Centre County Bank building. There is a large audience hall supplied with a couple hundred chairs, a reading desk, a few pictures and a piano. The floor is carpeted. There are two reading rooms—one for young men and one for boys. There is not perhaps a room in Bellefonte which is more pleasant or better lighted than the young men's reading room. It is handsomely papered, provided with tables, desks, etc. The latest secular and religious papers and magazines are on the tables. The library includes 1400 volumes, many of which are excellent. Dickens, Bulwer, Cooper, Scott and Thackery are represented among the writers of fiction. There are numerous historical and biographical works.

Young men can spend their evenings and their leisure time during the day in the rooms and read the books or papers without costing them a cent. To make good the loss from wear and tear a nominal price, $1 per year, is asked for the privilege of taking the books from the room. To this privilege ladies are entitled on the same terms as the gentlemen. The persons who have thus far availed themselves of this privilege are less than 300 in number. If the plan is properly understood there should be from 500 to 1,000 names of subscribers in Bellefonte. One dollar per year is indeed wonderfully cheap—less than 2 cents per week.

Very Successful.

The fair given under the auspices of the Episcopal ladies on Tuesday evening was a success in every particular. During the supper hour the tables were thronged and the menu was pronounced delicious. Refreshments were served during the evening. In the rooms on the south side was the bazaar, Japanese, Turkish, Spanish and American booths were represented and each booth was laden with very elegant articles. In the Japanese bazaar Miss Jackson and Mrs. Lingle presided, Miss Anna Valentine was the Turkish lady and Miss Minnie Brew represented the charms of Spain. The other bazaar was presided over by a few quite young ladies. All of them were appropriately and beautifully attired.

—Hunting four leaf clover is quite the fashion for May. An old gentleman of 60 looks carefully every morning for the little harbinger of good luck, and "gets on" with business better for having found it. A sentimental Miss is inclined to take long strolls with one in her shoe, hoping to meet the one that she "names" the clover for. Little girls enjoy the more practical part of finding them to decorate a page in a botonical album.